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Defense Action Planned

Justice Department Will Fight Effort By Segregationists To Kill Injunction

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Justice Department, in its first step to back up the Supreme Court desegregation ruling for public schools, will oppose an effort by segregationists to dissolve a federal injunction which prohibits them from interfering with racially integrated schools at Hoxie, Ark.

The government will file as a "friend of the court" a brief with the U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals at St. Louis next month, said G. Frederick Mullen, public relations director for the Justice Department.

The State of Georgia also has entered the case as a "friend of the court." Georgia's Atty. Gen. Eugene Cook will file a brief in support of the segregationists.

Three segregation groups have asked the Circuit Court to overrule U. S. Dist. Judge Albert L. Reeves, who enjoined them early this year from interfering with schools.

Terms of the injunction, requested by the Hoxie School Board, prohibit members of the groups from boycotting or picketing the property, or threatening school officials with bodily harm.

Judge Reeves also upheld the board's contention that Arkansas law requiring segregated schools is unconstitutional.

Twenty-five Negroes were admitted last year to Hoxie's previously all-white schools, which have an enrollment of about 1,000. Hoxie school officials have been under verbal and legal attack from segregationists since they ordered the integration.

The school board charged in court that segregationists had boycotted the schools and threatened some school officials in their campaign to force a return to separate schools for the races.

In appealing the injunction against them, the segregationists contended it violated the constitutional guarantee of freedom of speech, and enjoins them from acts which neither were committed nor contemplated.

Big Land Deal Made for \$50,000 East of Tipton

One of the largest land transactions recorded in this territory was consummated Saturday when Mr. and Mrs. Louis O. Knipp, Jr., purchased the 353-acre improved farm from Mr. and Mrs. Earl Norman for the sum of \$50,000.

The property lies on highway 50 east of Tipton 2½ miles. It has a modern, new home on it as well as an up-to-date barn, machine shed, granary, silo and other outbuildings all up in first-class condition. The land is completely terraced with good fencing all around. Possession is to be given at once. The sale was handled through a real estate broker, Jennings Harrison.

Mr. Norman first started buying land here in 1944. First he purchased what is known as the Jekke Heinrich place from Lester Rosenhan, later purchases of adjoining land being from John Hainen, Walter Kuester and Oscar Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Knipp also own a 200-acre farm near Lupus in the Missouri River bottoms and they own a modern home in Tipton in the southwest part of town in which they will continue living. There are two children in the family, Gary Frederick, 9, and Cindy Kay, 1½. The home on their newly-purchased farm is occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Knipp and children, Roy Wayne, 6, and Nancy, 3.

Impatient Greenery

Someone reported seeing the first signs this morning of crocuses and jonquils. Don't they read this weather column? Don't they care?

Mostly cloudy tonight and tomorrow. Occasional light rain or drizzle Saturday. Cooler tonight and Saturday. Low tonight in lower 40s. High tomorrow in 40s.

The temperature one year ago today, high 51, low 22; two years ago, high 65, low 30; and three years ago high 53, low 37.

The temperature at 7 a. m. was 56, 66 at 1 p. m. and 67 at 2 p. m. Low Thursday night 45. Moisture .01 inch from drizzle.

Stage at Lake of Ozarks 45.0 steady.



DISCUSS BOYCOTT CHARGES—Rosa Parks, right, arrested on a charge of violating city segregation laws which precipitated a citywide boycott of city buses of Montgomery, Ala., talks with her attorney, Charles D. Langford, in Montgomery. Fifty-one other Negroes also were arrested on charges of urging an illegal boycott of city buses. (NEA Telephoto)

Europe Fears Both Floods, Landslides

Slow Thaw Spreads Threat to Southern Part of Continent

LONDON (AP)—A slow thaw spread fearsome landslides and flood threats over parts of southern Europe today. The rest of the Continent shivered, with little sign of a break in the worst winter anybody could remember.

No deaths were yet reported from the slides in Italy and Yugoslavia, but it was believed they would add to the toll of 831 known dead in the record freeze, now in its 25th day.

Crop damage ran into hundreds of millions of dollars. Food prices rocketed. Coal and other fuel was running short.

At Vasto, in central Italy, a landslide crumpled 150 homes. Hundreds of workmen fought to divert the vast mass of rumbling soil and snow from other homes and a railroad.

Scores of smaller slides cut roads and menaced villages throughout Italy's central Apennine Mountains. Landslides also were reported in Yugoslavia.

Hundreds of starving gulls invaded public parks in southwest France to snatch carp and goldfish from ornamental lakes. Their usual source of food—the Garonne River—was frozen.

U. S. helicopters in the same area dropped food to 20 resin collectors isolated in vast fir forests.

Twelve thousand people faced a disastrous fuel shortage in Vadsøe, on Norway's frozen border with Russia. The city's supply was down to three days—and the temperature was 22 below zero. Coal was ready in emergency stores in neighboring towns, but no transport was available to get it to Vadsøe.

Sedalia Man Is Pinned When Ditch Caves In

Harry Chewning, 1700 East Fourth, had some uneasy moments about 9:40 a. m. Friday while digging a ditch in the alley between Lamine and Massachusetts, Fifth and Sixth, when one wall caved in on him.

Chewning felt dirt trickling on his back and before he could get out a portion of the wall caved in and trapped him for several minutes. Percy Wells, 408 East Second, a helper began digging dirt away from him and freed Chewning.

Bill Wear, 715 North Quincy, who is supervising the work, arrived within a few minutes and also helped to dig Chewning loose from his trap.

Chewning after his experience reported he was not hurt but at one time felt sure his legs were going to be broken.

After checking the 12-foot hole, Chewning surveyed the hole and went back to work digging it out deeper.

The work is being done by the James T. Watkins Plumbing Co., which is checking the sewer line for the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. as part of a survey before construction is started on the new telephone building in that area.

City Clerk Named Outstanding Citizen

MIDWAY, Ky. (AP)—City clerk P. P. Lacefield, who in 45 years has been absent from the clerk's office only one regular business day—his wedding day—was named Midway's outstanding citizen of the past year.

Proposes NAACP Inquiry

Rep. Gathings Says He Wants to Know Its Funds Source, How They're Used

WASHINGTON (AP)—Investigation of the National Assn. for the Advancement of Colored People was proposed in the House yesterday by Rep. Gathings (D-Ark).

Several other southern congressmen joined him in the proposal and went on to criticize the Supreme Court's decision that segregation of white and Negro children in the public schools is unconstitutional.

Gathings called for a "full and complete" investigation of the NAACP, centering on where the organization gets its funds and what it does with them.

"We have nothing to conceal, either as to the officers, the objectives, the income or the expenditures of the NAACP," said Roy Wilkins, NAACP executive secretary. "There is no mystery about what we seek or how we operate."

Gathings said the House committee on un-American activities has cited 78 of the NAACP's total of 177 officers, board members and executive staff members and said "the facts speak for themselves: the record has been made."

In New York, Wilkins termed this a restatement of an anti-NAACP speech he said was made in Atlanta last October by Georgia Atty. Gen. Eugene Cook. At that time, Wilkins said in reply to Cook:

"Mr. Cook knows the NAACP is not a Communist organization or a Communist-front organization. He knows also that neither the attorney general of the United States, the House un-American Activities Committee, nor any other official federal body has ever branded the NAACP as a Communist or Communist-front organization."

Gathings told the House he agrees fully with a statement he attributed to an Arkansas school superintendent that:

"When the NAACP embarks on a program to break down the laws against interracial marriages in our respective states . . . then the NAACP is not after all working honestly and sincerely for the recognition of the rights of the Negro; they are really working for the abolition and ultimate annihilation of both races."

Eighty-nine defendants have been arrested and other arrests are still to come. The total number indicted was first announced as 115, but some duplication of names was discovered as the war-wraps were checked out.

Shouts of "amen" greeted a minister's suggestion at a mass prayer meeting last night that "not a race-loving Negro" in this historic cradle of the Confederacy would use any form of transportation against city buses.

The 100 or so among them who were indicted by a grand jury on antitrust charges were called into court to face arraignment today. A date will be fixed for their trials, perhaps starting the week of March 19.

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Chanting hymns, the throng cheered wildly when their leaders pledged an unrelenting fight against what they called "oppression." They chorused agreement when one clergyman spoke of "compassion for those who hate us."

Negro Is Sentenced For Burning Girl

MOBILE, Ala. (AP)—A 23-year-old Negro girl who admitted turning a Negro girl into a flaming torch following a tavern argument was sentenced yesterday to life imprisonment.

Billie Jackson said he poured gasoline on Betty Jean Watts, 19, then threw a match on her June 23. She was burned on 70 per cent of her body and died several days later.

Rain or Drizzle Seen For Most of State

KANSAS CITY (AP)—More moisture, but nothing very heavy, is forecast for Missouri.

Warm air from the south resulted in rain or drizzle over most of the state yesterday and last night, amounts ranging from .33 at Malden to traces at Joplin, Kansas City and Sedalia.

The weatherman sees fog with occasional drizzle in the north and showers or thunderstorms in the extreme southeast this afternoon.

He forecast rain or drizzle in the south tonight and over most of the state Saturday with thunderstorms in the extreme south tonight and in the south and east central Saturday.

Demanding Baby Makes Sitter Resign

DENTON, Tex. (AP)—A demanding baby forced a Denton babysitter to leave her job here.

A married couple at North Texas State College asked a neighbor to baby-sit with their children for the evening but when they returned another neighbor had taken her place. The substitute explained that the original baby-sitter had gone to the hospital to have a baby.



ARRESTED IN STRIKE BATTLE—One of two men arrested in a fourth-day strike battle at the main gate of the Republic Aviation Corporation, Farmingdale, N. Y., is led into a police car by an officer. (NEA Telephoto)

Labor and Management Meet--

Disagreement on Union Shop Ends Try for Peace Pact

WASHINGTON (AP)—Sharp disagreement over the union shop has ended, for the present at least, a new try for a peace pact between industry and organized labor.

AFL-CIO President George R. Meany met with Chairman Charles

R. Sligh Jr., of the National Assn. of Manufacturers' executive committee yesterday to discuss possibilities of a broad scale agreement.

But they split on the first point to come up—labor union insistence on compulsory union membership provisions—and from then on it was no use talking about anything else.

"We seem to have run into a first hurdle here that it will be pretty hard to surmount," Sligh said.

As the first of four proposals, Sligh suggested that organized labor quit demanding union shop contract terms, requiring all an employer's workers to join a union.

"Union insistence on compulsory union membership is today the greatest obstacle to acceptance of unions by the public employees and employers," Sligh said.

Many replied that organized labor feels it must have such arrangements so that all workers will pay in union dues the cost of maintaining the union as a functioning mechanism.

Sligh proposed also a ban on either union or business political spending, a free hand for employers to cut labor costs to improve efficiency, and a ban on "labor violence or force of any kind."

The two leaders appeared annoyed, when they parted, though they shook hands and said they'd gladly meet again. But the occasion is not likely to be soon.

Cooper and Cass Counties Get Corn Insurance

Twenty-nine more pickets were arrested during the day, raising to 121 the number of people seized since the walkout of 12,000 members of the International Assn. of Machinists started Saturday midnight in a wage dispute. Those arrested—almost all of them pickets—were charged with assault or disorderly conduct. Dozens of persons have been injured in the picket line clashes.

The company's 7,000 engineers, scientists, supervisors and office workers are not on strike.

Governor Donnelly Proclaims March Red Cross Month

JEFFERSON CITY (AP)—Gov. Phil M. Donnelly today proclaimed March Red Cross month and urged all Missourians to help the humanitarian organization in its fund drive.

Green, Illinois chairman of the party, was one of the 11 Communist leaders convicted in 1949 on charges of conspiracy to teach and advocate violent overthrow of the government. He failed to appear for sentencing.

The letter said Green had decided to give himself up because "the main trend of the nation is no longer toward a new world war and McCarthyism. A new trend is evident."

Individuals who wish to contribute to the special disaster quota may make their donations payable to Red Cross Flood Relief through the local Red Cross office, 112 West Fourth.

Danforth Foundation Contributes \$10,000 For CMSC Chapel

WARRENSBURG, Mo. (AP)—A \$10,000 contribution for construction of a Danforth Meditation Chapel of the Central Missouri State College Alumni Memorial Chapel was announced today.

Dr. George W. Diemer, president of the college, said word of the gift had been received from Kenneth L. Brown, executive director of the Danforth Foundation.

The Foundation was established at the direction of the late William H. Danforth, St. Louis milling executive, to provide scholarships and aid in the establishment of college chapels.

Dr. Diemer said the alumni chapel will be erected to carry out a human relations program.

Brando, Kelly Get 'Henrietta' Awards

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Marlon Brando, winning for the second year in a row, and Grace Kelly today held "Henrietta," symbolic of titles as the world's favorite film stars.

The two were voted the awards last night by the Hollywood Foreign Press Assn., representing newsmen from 40 countries.

Doctor Says Ike 'Might Be Safer' Serving New Term

President's Personal Physician Makes the Statement to Newsmen As Ike Goes Quail Hunting Again

THOMASVILLE, Ga. (AP)—President Eisenhower's personal physician said today the President "might be safer" from a health standpoint in serving a second term than he was before his heart attack.

The physician, Maj. Gen. Howard M. Snyder, made the statement to newsmen on this fifth month anniversary of the President's attack in Denver last Sept. 24.

Snyder chatted with newsmen as the President was climbing aboard a hunting roadster near here in a new quest for quail.

A reporter asked the doctor whether he feels Eisenhower will run for re-election.

"I have no impression about that," Snyder replied.

The next question was whether Snyder thought Eisenhower is physically able to run again. A newsmen said Snyder gave the impression in Washington last week that he believes the President is able to serve again.

"I don't know what anyone can tell on that," Snyder said. "These physical accidents can come out of nowhere and he has no guarantee in trying this thing again that it won't happen again."

"All he can do," Snyder said "is trust in God if he goes ahead."

He added it "would be the same for a new man"—meaning that any new President always would run the risk of developing ill health.

"Even many young men die of heart attack," Snyder went on. Then, referring to Eisenhower,

County Falls Short on Flood Relief Funds

The recent appeal for Pettis County's special disaster flood relief funds has met with only moderate success, it was reported today by John Ryan, chairman of the local Red

OBITUARIES

Mrs. Rose Ann Owens

Mrs. Rose Ann Owens, 79, Osage Bluff was found dead at her farm home in Osage Bluff early Monday. She had been in ill health for some time and died in her sleep during the night.

She was born March 21, 1876, in North Carolina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phillips and was married Sept. 17, 1893, to John F. Owens. They moved to Sedalia in 1912 and went to their farm near Osage Bluff in 1922. Owens died in 1930.

Mrs. Owens is survived by three daughters, Mrs. John Marr, Arkansas City, Kan.; Mrs. Cora Rogers, Sedalia; and Mrs. Anna Goetz, Jefferson City; three sons, Alonzo Owens, Sweet Springs, John L. Owens, Jefferson City, and William A. Owens of the home; a nephew, Everett Owens of the home; a sister, Mrs. Delia Johns, of North Carolina; and two brothers, William Phillips and Floyd Phillips, both of North Carolina.

She was a member of the Baptist Church with membership in North Carolina.

Arthur Smith Infant

Word was received Thursday of the death of the infant son of Arthur H. Smith S/T U. S. Navy and Mrs. Smith, who died at Huey, Calif., that afternoon. The baby was born Tuesday.

Mrs. Smith, formerly Miss Mary Ann Hall, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hall, 1509 East 13th, and her husband is the son of Sgt. Cecil H. Smith and Mrs. Smith, 324 North Summit. Sgt. Smith is a member of the Police Department.

Mrs. Hall left Tuesday for California to be with her daughter upon learning of the birth of the grandson.

Sgt. Smith and Mrs. Smith, accompanied by Mr. Hall left Thursday night for California.

S/T Smith and Mrs. Smith have one other child, a daughter, Patty Ann, one-year old.

Albert T. Smith

Funeral services for Albert T. Smith, 51, who died in Kansas City Tuesday, will be held at the Ewing Funeral Home at 10:30 a.m. Saturday.

The Rev. William Morgan will officiate.

Pallbearers will be George W. Ray, Albert Davis, Henry Alt, Louis Wilken, Shirley Bishop and Howard Todd.

Burial will be in the Bethlehem Cemetery south of Sedalia.

The body is at the Ewing Funeral Home.

Frank Ramsey

Frank Ramsey, Topeka, Kan., father of Mrs. Cal Rodgers, Route 5, died in Topeka Thursday evening after a heart attack. Mr. Ramsey had numerous friends in Sedalia, having visited here in recent years.

Surviving are two daughters and two sons.

Funeral services will probably be Sunday afternoon at Topeka.

LODGE NOTICES

Pettis Chapter No. 57, O. E. S. will meet in stated meeting Friday, February 24 at 7:30 p.m. Degrees. Visiting members welcome.

Lorene Hofheins, W. M. Florence Stauble, Sec'y.

Granite Lodge No. 272, A. F. & A. M., will meet in special communication Saturday, Feb. 25, 11 a.m., Masonic Temple, Seventh and Osage. Work in Entered Apprentice Degree, followed by work in Fellowcraft Degree. Visiting brethren always welcome. Lunch will be served.

Harold N. Painter, W. M. Lloyd C. Kennon, Sec'y.

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Will Conduct
Square Dance
Festival Sat.

The Spring Square Dance Festival sponsored by the Sedalia Square Dance Association will be held at the Smith-Cotton Cafeteria Saturday night with dancing from 7 p.m. to 11 p.m. The proceeds for the gay affair will be given to the Crippled Children's Center.

Music for the square dance stepping will be by the Blue Ridge Boys and master of ceremonies for the evening will be Damon Hieronymus.

The program of the evening follows:

Tip 1: Damon Hieronymus, Sedalia, caller's choice; Don Officer, Slater, "No No Nora;" Ray McCory, Sedalia, "Texarkana Star."

Tip 2: George Mangiaracina, Kansas City, "When Payday Rolls Around;" Herb Winebrenner, Sedalia, "Watch 'Em Smile;" Donald Donath, Sedalia, "Crawdad Song."

Tip 3: Elzie Detwiler, Brookfield, "Put Her in the Lead;" Lee Johnson, Sedalia, "Alabama Jubilee;" Tommy Pharr, Warrensburg, "Star Route."

Couple Dance Exhibition, Edith and Donald Donath, Sedalia.

Tip 4: Charles Patterson, Sedalia, "Teasing;" Doc Redd, Marcelline, "Back Track One;" Morris Roseboom, Sedalia, "Poor Little Robin."

Square Dance Exhibition: The Three D's.

Tip 5: Charles Gross, Kansas City, "Hash;" Floyd Priddy, Sedalia, "Powder Your Face With Sunshine;" Damon Hieronymus, caller's choice."

Intermission: Couple dance exhibition, Midge and Jerry Washburn, Mexico, Mo.; and exhibition, Jacks and Jennis, Slater.

Tip 6: Damon Hieronymus, caller's choice; Elzie Detwiler, "Let Her Go;" Herb Winebrenner, "Loose Talk."

Square dance exhibition, Smith-Cotton Pickers.

Tip 7: George Mangiaracina, "Hash;" Tommy Pharr, "Truck Stop;" Lee Johnson, "Four Hands Across."

Couple dance exhibition, Jack and Donna Whatley, Sedalia.

Tip 8: Doc Redd, "Oklahoma Hills;" Don Officer, "Jelly Bean;" Morris Roseboom, "Trailing Star."

Tip 9: Olaf Hay, Clinton, "Yellow Rose of Texas;" Floyd Priddy, "Run Out of Names;" Charles Gross, "Just Because."

Tip 10: Charles Patterson, "Arkansas Traveler;" Donald Donath, "Split the Ring;" Olaf Hay, "Anytime."

Tip 11: Ray McCoy, "Cross Trail Hash;" Damon Hieronymus, caller's choice.

Ushers were Mrs. Mary Hutchinson, Mrs. Maude Askins, Mrs. Flora Ames and Mrs. Sallie Bradley.

Film Actress Sues
Western Air Lines

LOS ANGELES 46 — Film actress Pier Angeli, 23, seeks \$208,410 damages from Western Air Lines for injuries she says she suffered on a flight to Palm Springs, Calif., last year.

The suit also named stewardess Paula Duke. The actress, wife of singer Vic Damone, claims she was seriously injured in a fall in the airliner's rest room because she was not warned of rough weather.

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DAILY RECORD

Future Subscribers

Son, to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Traugott, Cole Camp, at 9 a.m. Feb. 24 at Bothwell Hospital, Weight, seven pounds, 13½ ounces.

Son, to Mr. and Mrs. Billy Kinney, Warsaw, at 11:01 p.m. Feb. 23 at Bothwell Hospital.

City Hospitals

BOTHWELL — Medical: Mrs. Fay Spurlock, 505 South Grand; C. D. Smith, Hughesville.

Surgery: Mrs. Mildred Keller, Clinton; Mrs. Edwin Sands, 1418 East Seventh.

John Taylor, 220 East Second, charged with parking contrary to the no-parking restriction on the west side of South Engineer in the 300 block, forfeited a \$2 cash bond.

Twelve overtime parkers who failed to appear in police court forfeited cash bonds of \$1 each and 37 others paid the 25-cent fee.

Dale Franklin Francis, 49, Barneet, Mo., charged with driving a car while intoxicated, failed to appear in court and his \$75 cash bond was ordered forfeited.

WOODLAND — Medical: James L. Eckles, Hughesville.

Wyman Lloyd Griffith, Lincoln, entered a plea of guilty in operating an automobile under an expired license. He was fined \$5 and costs.

Ever Ready Club Has
Its 31st Anniversary

The Ever Ready Club of the Burn Chapel Church will celebrate its 31st anniversary at the church Feb. 24 at 8 p.m. In connection, the baby contest will close. Rev. J. Y. Jackson, pastor.

To that effect they've applied a sticky red substance to alarm box handles.

Yesterday the campaign was battoning .333. One false alarm was caught redhanded. Two other fake alarm sounders got away.

Edwards, appeared before Magistrate Joe Berry at Warsaw, and pleaded guilty to operating an automobile with improper license. He was fined \$5 and costs.

The following divorces were granted in Benton County Circuit Court Feb. 20: Doris Gerken vs. John E. White, 1209 South Moniteau, in being held in the county jail on a state charge of molesting a minor pending his preliminary hearing in Magistrate Court.

White was arrested Monday night on a city warrant charging molestation of a six-year-old girl and the state charge was filed on Tuesday.

In Other Courts

Alvin E. White, 1209 South Moniteau, in being held in the county jail on a state charge of molesting a minor pending his preliminary hearing in Magistrate Court.

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On Feb. 20, Chester Leland Ham-

Firemen Try to Catch
Culprits 'Redhanded'

YONKERS, N.Y. (AP) — Firemen, in a campaign against false alarm ringers, are trying to catch the culprits "redhanded."

To that effect they've applied a sticky red substance to alarm box handles.

Yesterday the campaign was battoning .333. One false alarm was caught redhanded. Two other fake alarm sounders got away.

"We don't know whether they had trouble or just decided to land there for the night," said a Coast Guard spokesman.

Nine planes carrying the missionaries on a good-will tour of the Caribbean islands took off yesterday from Camaguey, Cuba, bound for Kingston, Jamaica. Only three of the planes reached Kingston.

The planes were owned by members of the Church of God of Prophecy, with headquarters in Cleveland, Tenn.

Planes Found
In Cuba After
Disappearance

MIAMI, Fla. (AP) — The Coast Guard said today six light planes which disappeared yesterday after taking off from Cuba for Jamaica, had been found at Niquero, Cuba, and the 16 missionaries aboard were all safe.

"We don't know whether they had trouble or just decided to land there for the night," said a Coast Guard spokesman.

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Reorganized School District R-7 of Pettis County, Missouri will sell at public auction:

Pleasant View School House and 1 acre of land, at 10:00 a.m., March 3, 1956.

Elm Branch School House and 1½ acres, more or less, of land, at 11:00 a.m., March 3, 1956.

Hope Dale School House and 1½ acres of land at 1:00 p.m., March 3, 1956.

Swisher School House and 1 acre of land at 2:00 p.m., March 3, 1956.

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**The J. F. Neffs
Celebrate 50th
Anniversary**

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Neff, former residents of Sedalia and Windsor, celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary Tuesday at their home in St. Joseph.

The year marks other interesting anniversaries for Mr. Neff. He has been a member of the International Typographical Union for 52 years, and has belonged to the Modern Woodmen half a century. For 39 years he has been a Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Neff were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Duvall of Windsor, the Rev. T. M. MacDonnell, pastor of the Baptist church of Windsor, officiating. The couple was attended by Mrs. Neff's sister, Mrs. Walter Dunn, of Windsor, and his brother, Loyd Neff, of Nevada.

Mr. Neff was a linotypist in Sedalia on the Democrat and Capital, in Warrensburg, Chanute, Kan., El Reno, Okla., Phoenix, Ariz., Colorado Springs, Colo., and Tonapah, Nev. He and his family went to St. Joseph in 1918 and he was with the News-Press at the time of his retirement in 1945. For the past ten years he has been an invalid.

His wife is a member of the auxiliary to Typographical Union No. 40, was its first president. In Savannah Avenue Baptist church in St. Joseph, she has served in the departments for children and youth, from cradle roll to intermediates. For seven years she was superintendent of the juniors. She served many terms as president of the Women's Missionary Society. She is a member of the Royal Neighbors of America and a former member of Pearl chapter, OES.

Mrs. Virginia Davis of Jefferson City, Neil and John D. Neff of St. Joseph, are daughter and sons of the couple. There are five grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Neff observed their anniversary at dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Neff.

**Windsor Church Circle
Has February Meeting**

Mrs. Thomas Penrose was hostess to the Florence Harris Circle of the Windsor Baptist Church the evening of Feb. 20. Mrs. Waldo Wheeler Jr. was co-hostess. There were 14 members present.

The lesson was presented by Mrs. Ralph Marti.

As a project for the month, homemade cookies and money for ice cream is being sent to the Home for Aged Baptists at Ironton. Tray cards were made to be used at the hospital on George Washington's birthday.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses after the business meeting.

Social Events

Miss Joella Brereton, Society Editor

Social Calendar

MONDAY

Willing Toilers' Class, Epworth Methodist Church, church dining room, contributive supper, 6:30.

TUESDAY

Ernest Endeavor Class, Epworth Methodist Church, church dining room, covered dish and sandwich supper, business meeting, 6 p.m.

Fellowship Meets For Talk by Missionary

The Christian Women's Fellowship of the First Christian Church will have a meeting Monday evening at 7:30 at the church. The guest speaker will be Dr. Royal Dye, a former missionary to the Belgian Congo.

There will be an executive board meeting at seven. Mrs. Mrs. Frank Evans will be the soloist and Mrs. H. O. Folkner, pianist. A reception will follow the meeting.

Book Club Meeting

The McCormick Book Club met at the home of Mrs. Margaret Hirsh, Warsaw, Monday night, Feb. 20, with seven members present. Mrs. Marge Rich reviewed, "Winter Harvest," by Nora Lofts. Refreshments were served.

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The Frank Ackers Hold Open House

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Acker, Windsor, will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary Sunday, February 26, with open house from 2 until 5. They were married Feb. 28, 1906, and are the parents of nine children.

Have Valentine Party

Mrs. Wilma Freeman and Mrs. Dorothy Miner, Warsaw, were hostesses at a Valentine Bridge Party Feb. 13. The Valentine theme in pink and white with red was carried out in the decorations and refreshments. Mrs. Judy Frank won the traveling prize. Mrs. Francis Cockrell, high, and Mrs. Grace Hughes, the second highest. There were 12 present.

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SATURDAY

Sedalia Spring Square Dance Festival at Smith-Cotton cafeteria, 7-11 p.m. Blue Ridge Boys, Kansas City, will provide the music. Will feature 24 callers.

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Warsaw PTA Observes Founder's Day at Tea

The Warsaw PTA Founders Day Tea and program was held at the Warsaw school Feb. 17. An instrumental musical program, under the direction of Mr. Anderson, was presented by Mary Pohl, Marsha Laird, Nancy Cooper, and Marilyn Getz, Shirley Johnson, Hester Johnson, Marilyn Reser, Ann Drake, and Sandra Kindle. Mrs. Ruth Berry gave a short history of the PTA which was followed by the Founders Day Tea. The home economics class, under the direction of Mrs. Grace Kinnamon, instructor, prepared the refreshments.

Woman Labor Leader

MYSTIC, Conn. (UPI) — The Connecticut Cabinet Corp. local of the International Assn. of Machinists has

the only woman labor union president in southeastern Connecticut. Mrs. Edna Wallington defeated two men in an election for the office.

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A Big Boom On The Sun . . .

As though in answer to man's puny efforts toward developing more powerful nuclear blasts, the Great Scientist of the Universe has popped one off on the sun.

Force of the solar outburst the afternoon of Washington's birthday anniversary is likened to that of a million hydrogen bombs going off at the same time. Coincidentally, every living thing on earth has undergone a startling cosmic ray bombardment. It won't hurt, say the experts. Whether this occurrence will affect the course of human behavior has not been revealed.

Such a demonstration of explosive power 93 million miles away provides some safety to the human race; but who is to say the intensity of another hydrogen blast on the sun might not be increased. Man's efforts to dabble with devices which may ultimately blow him and the earth into smithereens are amateurish in comparison.

Man thinks he can control his own nuclear explosions. Maybe. But he can't check the ones 93 million miles away.

Edson In Washington—

Plenty of Politics In Any Farm Aid

By PETER EDSON

WASHINGTON — All economic gobbledegook aside — the real test of the new Eisenhower soil bank plan is whether it will buy the farm vote for the Republican party in November.

To get the answer, it's necessary to check up on the work of the nearly 95,000 state, county and community Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Program committeemen.

There isn't any use of being coy about this. The Democrats used this machinery to hold the farm vote in the 1930's and 1940's. Now it's the Republicans' turn. That's politics.

Top responsibility for running the machine is given by law to Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson. Actually in charge is Earl M. Hughes, Commodity Stabilization Service administrator for the past year. He is a Woodstock, Ill., farmer, farm management and marketing expert.

He works directly with the state A. S. and C. P. committees. They have three members in all states except Texas and California, which have five. All state committeemen are appointed and fired by the secretary of agriculture.

Since January, 1953, when the GOP came to town, there has been an almost 100 per cent turnover of state committeemen. This gives one clue to the political possibilities.

Under the state committees there is a county committee for every one of 3,058 agricultural counties. Under the county committees are 28,133 community committees, each of three members. That makes an average of nine community committees in each county. Some have more, some less.

Community committees are elected by the farmers in each area for one-year terms. Community committees elect one delegate to an annual county convention. This convention elects the three county committeemen.

The 9,156 county committeemen are paid by the Department of Agriculture when they work. Last year they worked an average of 36 days for an average of \$9.44 a day.

There is a normal turnover of 20 per cent a year in committee members. This means a 60 per cent turnover since 1953.

This, in brief, is the administrative machinery that handles acreage allotments, marketing quotas and conservation payments to farmers under existing law. It has been in existence since the Triple-A act of 1933. Last year, its administrative costs alone for staff, field surveys, aerial mapping and paper work were 62 million dollars.

And this is the machine which will be put to work measuring fields for acreage reserve and conservation reserve if and when Congress makes the new Eisenhower plan the law of the land.

Since the end of the Korean war, when the

Guest Editorial—

OMAHA WORLD-HERALD: "Me and Old Huey!" Those who believe that the world is getting better, people smarter, and politics cleaner will be happier, we imagine, if they ignore the election news from Louisiana.

For down in the bayou country the voters chose Earl Long for an unprecedented third term as governor.

To Northerners who have trouble keeping the Louisiana Longs straight in their minds, it should be pointed out that able Senator Russell Long is the late Huey's son. Earl, now governor-designate, is Huey's brother.

And Earl does his best to follow Huey's demagogic formula.

In the campaign just closed he shouted his hoarse appeal to "the po' people of Louisiana, the coloreds and the po' whites." On at least one occasion he told those "po' people" that, if they thought their tax assessments were too high, "Just bring 'em to me at the governor's office."

Again, in a speech boasting of Louisiana's roads, bridges and public institutions, he said: "And who built all these wonderful things for you? Me and old Huey, that's who!"

"Me and old Huey!"—the latter 20 years in his grave—that was the constant refrain of Earl Long's campaign. And in a Democratic field of five candidates, at least two of them men of high standing in Louisiana, Earl received more than half the votes cast and thus will not have to go through a run-off primary.

As we said, those who take the Brighter View had just better forget about Louisiana.

One thing this greatest of all sun-blasts indicates and that is man's tenuous and impermanent grip on life. Nevertheless he is so intent on providing security for himself he develops astigmatism when it comes to helping provide improved conditions on earth for his descendants.

Before some deadly outer space hydrogen blast occurs it might be well for those Sedalians who consider they have a permanent lease on life to reconsider taking their worldly goods with them.

We recommend they part with a bit of it by supporting the school bond election May 8. The first election was defeated and the disappointed kids are casting frozen glances at parents and childless neighbors suspected of voting the proposal down.

A \$1,800,000 building program may create a little physical and mental construction boom in Sedalia, which is more to be desired than a hydrogen destruction boom on the sun or elsewhere.

surpluses began to pile up, community and county committeemen's principal activity has been to talk their neighbors into cutting production. The only money they have had to pass out has been for ACP — agricultural conservation payments.

When the soil bank plan goes into operation, the committeemen will be coming around to see how much money their neighbors will be entitled to for putting land into reserve.

The original idea was that certificates for payment would be available around harvest time. For some crops, that would be after election.

So that detail is being changed.

The plan now is to make payments available just as soon as conservation use of a field has been established. This may mean paying a farmer for plowing under a planted crop, or not harvesting a part of a crop.

Will this influence the farm vote, or won't it?

Whether or not, a lot of new jobs will have to be created to survey and check. That's another possible political plum to come out of this latest plan to save the farmers.

Fascinating Color TV

Yes, color television is here! (At least, it is in some parts of the country.) More and more persons are buying the new color television sets. For anyone lucky enough to possess one, that house becomes the most popular one on the block. To see a good drama, an opera or even a commercial in color for the first time is even more impressive than seeing the first motion picture in technicolor. Anyone who was fortunate enough to see in color Mary Martin in her repeat performance of Peter Pan, especially if a houseful of youngsters were watching, could not help but be carried away under the magic spell of the fairies, and the flying children, with their soft color tones and the vivid reds, greens, blues and yellows of Captain Hook and his pirates and Tiger Lily and her Indians.

A few days later, Mozart's Magic Flute appeared in color as part of the Mozart Bicentennial and men and some women who had never listened to an opera, were spellbound for two hours, by the beauty of the staging and the melody of the music.

These two programs are cited because both Barrie and Mozart were artists in drama and dramatic composition. It was not color TV that appealed to the viewer but the art of the productions themselves. "Peter Pan" and "The Magic Flute" have stood the test of time, and color merely added to what was already good.

Color sets will soon be as popular as ordinary sets and nearly as cheap but color alone does not make a program good. While the novelty lasts, folks may sit through a play or a musical because it is in color but unless the program itself holds attention, it won't take long to turn it off, color or no color.

Hair, Head Splitting

Most of the sober analysts studying French politics like to point out that debate in the French assembly is generally on a high intellectual level. Too high, they say. France's politicians are often rated "overintellectualized hairsplitters."

Well, just the other day they were splitting hairs in the assembly again. Only this time, heads were attached to them. The Communists and the right wing Poujadists, novices in politics, got into a rough and tumble that ended with wooden stools sailing through the air.

One can almost hear one of France's oratorical specialists commenting loftily on this turn of events:

"I used to admire greatly the stylistic flights of some of my colleagues on the right and left. But lately, something has happened to their political dialogue. It has grown stiff. In fact, it has become wooden."

Thought for Today—

And being not weak in faith, he considered not his own body now dead, when he was about an hundred years old, neither yet the deadness of Sarah's womb.—Romans 4:19.

Hope says to us constantly, "Go on, go on," and leads us thus to the grave.

—Henry Van Dyke.

"Keep Moving, Buster"



As Sedalia Sees It—

Potential Danger Lies In Electoral College Method

By Joseph A. Dear
The Democrat-Capital
Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON — The mid-point of the 20th century is past, but we are still saddled with that ancient political albatross — the electoral college.

In case you've forgotten, it elects the President of the United States. You don't. You vote for electors, and they choose a President for you.

The founding fathers had their reasons for setting up the electoral college. For one thing they thought the selection of a President too important a matter to entrust to the people. George Mason, one of the FFs from Virginia, observed that "it was as unnatural to refer the choice of a proper character for Chief Magistrate to the people as it would be to refer a trial of colors to a blind man."

Facilities for communication in those days were inferior. Delegates to the Constitutional Convention knew that, and inclined to the view that voters in one state would be unlikely to know much about the ability of candidates from other states.

Hence the elector. He was to be a knowledgeable chap whose judgment the voter trusted. Of course, the nature of the job has changed. The elector is considered nothing more than a rubber stamp who will automatically reflect the expressed wish of the voters.

But they don't have to. Electors can vote as they wish. Under the law, nothing compels them to cast their vote for the Presidential candidate who received the majority in their states.

Several states have passed laws binding electors. If I, for example, got 90 per cent of the votes cast in the state, electors pledged to him or his party must vote for him. That's what these laws say.

And they probably are in violation of the Constitution, where the specifications and duties of electors are set forth.

In 1948 a Tennessee elector ran on both the States Rights and Democratic tickets. Tennessee went Democrat by a substantial plurality. The elector cast his ballot for Strom Thurmond, the States Rights candidate.

In theory, all 531 electors could do the same. If the oil lobby really wants to throw a Sunday punch, what a chance it would have. In a close contest, free-wheeling electors could decide the issue. They probably wouldn't dare, but why should that chance be taken?

Federal office holders and Congressmen are barred from the Electoral College. This prohibition is sometimes overlooked, and ineligible electors are chosen. Their votes are invalidated. That could change the outcome of a close election.

The Electoral College has powers which, fortunately, it has never been called upon to exercise. For example, if the successful Presidential candidate were to die or become incapacitated between an election day in November and the day upon which the electors convened in various states to cast their votes, the naming of the President would be the job of the College.

That almost happened in 1872. Greeley, the liberal Republican candidate, died after the election but before the College cast its votes. Greeley, however, had been the minority candidate. That near miss was a warning the country ignored.

It takes a majority of the College — 216 — to elect a President.

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If there were a three way race and no candidate had a majority in the College, the House of Representatives would choose the President.

And it would do so in this peculiar fashion: Each state delegation gets one vote. This vote is determined by a majority of the delegation. If the delegation divides evenly, the state gets no vote. If the state has one member in the House, his vote counts just as much as that of California or New York. A majority — 25 votes — is necessary for selection of the President. The House considers the three candidates who received the highest votes in the Electoral College.

Very complicated, is it not? And dangerous, too. If such a mess did arise, it's entirely possible that the House would become so bogged in wrangling that inauguration day would come and go without a President.

In 1948, according to analysts, a shift of less than six-tenths of the votes from Mr. Truman in two states would have thrown the election into the House. And had that happened, it is unlikely that either the Republican or Democratic candidate could have received a majority in balloting there. Another near miss.

The first proposal for changing the machinery of electing the President was offered in 1797. There have been hundreds of proposals since. Yet another is offered now. This one would do away with the Electoral College by Constitutional Amendment. Almost any change would be an improvement on the system we have now.

Thinking It Over— For Lent

By Robt. Dieffenbacher, D.D.
This pushbutton world in which we now live has become so simple—

We touch a switch, and light appears in abundance. We push another button and motors hum. We make a series of contacts, and complicated computations automatically come out of a machine. We turn a dial, and talk instantly to some remote person thousands of miles away.

We cannot touch a button and create life. We cannot restore life to the deceased with the throwing of a switch. Nor can we stall the forces of nature with the use of electric or atomic energy. We cannot change hate to love with machinery.

Man, with all his discoveries, inventions and advances, is still a lot lower than the Supreme Being Who created man and all the creatures in the world.

Whenever we begin to brag about our mastery of some sector of life, we are brought back to reality with the knowledge that we have a long way to go before we can attain even a small bit of perfection.

There is no man-made substitute for God and love and hope. Let us pray not for more man-made energy but for more of the presence of God.

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S-C Tigers Shoot For 9th Straight CMC Win Tonight

Clash With Jeff City Jays Here; Victory Would Clinch Conference Championship For The Tigers

The Smith-Cotton Tigers will be after their ninth Central Missouri Conference victory tonight when they clash with the Jefferson City Jays on the Tiger Court. A win over Jefferson City will clinch the CEMO Championship in basketball for the 1955-56 season. Game time 8 p.m.

A one-point margin separated the Tigers and the Jays in victory January 3, at the Capital City when the Sedalians edged out on the Jays 42-41. The Jays are traveling to Sedalia with thought in mind to not only upset the Tigers, but the avenge the defeat.

The Tigers with one of their best teams in several years will also be after their 21st victory of the season out of 24. The record to date stands at 20-wins and 3-losses.

Jefferson City is the defending champions of the CEMO from 1954-55 season and is coached by Jim Gibbs who has been endeavoring to work out a strategy of trying to keep Charles "Van" Van Dyne and Walt Kennon from pouring in the baskets.

His strategy is expected to be pressure being placed on these two cagers and very little on the three outside men. Two men in front of Van and one behind him proved effective and no doubt Gibbs will be using the same kind of shrewd manipulation in this Friday night tussle.

The starting lineup will be Les Griffin, Charles Newman, from Tommy Noland at guard positions, Walt Kennon, Don Barbour or Rudd Van Dyne forward, with Charles Van Dyne starting at center.

Coach Howard Glavin, who was a player under the coaching of "Sparky" Stalcup now head of the University of Missouri basketball department, believes he has the answer to Jefferson City and his boys will take the big end of the scoring.

Jerry Barber Leads Houston Open by One

HOUSTON (AP)—Jerry Barber, a 40-year-old California golfer who keeps talking about retiring from regular tournament play, began the second round of the \$30,000 Houston Open today with a one-stroke lead.

The little pro from Los Angeles finished late with a first-round 33-34-67 to overcome an early 68 posted by Bill Casper Jr., 24-year-old San Diego golfer making his first swing of the winter circuit.

Jack Burke Jr., playing before his home town fans and in the same threesome with Barber, dropped a six-foot birdie putt on the 18th green to match Casper's 68.

Barber got his 67 on the 7,122-yard, par-72 Memorial Park course with three birdies and an eagle.

Cary Middlecoff, a 3-1 pretournament favorite, had trouble with his drives in a rough 25 m.p.h. southeast wind. A first-round 40-40-80 left him 13 strokes off the pace.

Five players grouped at 69 included Gene Littler, the winter tour's leading money winner from Palm Springs, Calif. Others were Joe Jiminez, Midlothian, Ill.; Mike Dietz, Lake Orion, Mich.; Art Wall Jr., Pocono Manor, Pa.; and George Bayer, Cincinnati.

The 70 group included E. J. Harrison, St. Louis, Mo.; Walker Inman Jr., Augusta, Ga.; Jerry Kesseling, Toronto, Canada; Ted Kroll, Fort Lauderdale, Fla.; Paul O'Leary, Bismarck, N.D.; and Tod Menefee, San Antonio.

Field of 117 to Try For Distance Record In Big Ski-Jump Show

IRON MOUNTAIN, Mich. (AP)—A field of 117 daredevils, pained by a pint-sized flying Finn, will try for a new North American distance record in America's biggest ski-jumping show tomorrow and Sunday.

They will hurtle off the world's highest artificial ski scaffold in a two-day classic.

More than 25,000 spectators are expected to be on hand for the Kiwanis International Meet on Saturday and the A. J. Barth Memorial Tournament on Sunday.

Esko Mommo, 140-pound power-diver and alternate on Finland's world championship Olympic team, is favored to set the pace in an attempt to bring the distance record to Pine Mountain.

The North American record of 316 feet was set five years ago at Steamboat Springs, Colo. Pine Mountain's all-time record is 16 feet short of that. Rudy Maki of Ishpeming, U.S. Olympic team member, jumped for an even 300-footter here last year.

Americans who are expected to press Mommo include three members of the 1956 U.S. Olympic team; Maki; Billy Olsen of Eau Claire, Wis., and Roy Sherwood of Salisbury, Conn.

Each year 14 million dollars damage is done to London, England, by smog and grit from factory chimneys, experts estimate.

Flock Holds Coveted Pole Position In Nascar Race

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. (AP)—Tim Flock of Atlanta, one of stock car racing's winningest drivers, held the coveted pole position for today's 125-mile Nascar race for sportsman and modified autos.

The 31-year-old father of five figured the favorite in the field of 76 speed buggies by virtue of his 137.40 miles an hour qualifying run yesterday.

The race, sponsored by the National Assn. for Stock Car Auto racing, was the first of three over the 4.1-mile beach-road course this weekend. Late model convertibles will compete tomorrow and the grand national for late model stock cars will come Sunday.

Flock went 2 for 3 in yesterday's qualifying runs, pacing the grand national entries at 135.74 m.p.h. in a 1956 Chrysler 300B. He won the big one last year in a 1955 Chrysler.

Today's race carried a gross purse of \$8,300, including \$925 in bonuses for which only sportsman entries are eligible. The race winner gets \$1,525.

Top qualifying time for tomorrow's convertible race was logged by Joe Weatherly of Norfolk, Va. He averaged 117.80 in a 1956 Ford.

At the annual Nascar dinner last night Flock was given \$8,000 from the association and the automotive industry as grand champion of 1955.

Phils Depend On Rogovin's Awareness

By JOE REICHLER

CLEARWATER, Fla. (AP)—Manager Mayo Smith of the Philadelphia Phillies thinks Saul Rogovin, American League discard, will be a big winner for the Phillies this year provided Saul can keep awake.

At that, it will be all right with the understanding Mayo if the big right-hander should doze off once in a while on the bench provided he pitches as he did after the Phillies signed him as a free agent last August.

Rogovin is afflicted by a rare malady commonly known as sleeping sickness. The 32-year-old Brooklyn-born pitcher can fall asleep at the drop of a baseball bat, whether in the clubhouse, dugout or on the mound. Saul kept his affliction a secret for a long time and more than once, after he'd dozed off during a tight game, he'd be given a verbal lashing by his manager for lack of interest.

The day after he signed his Philly contract, Saul sought out Smith and told him of his malady, which had caused him untold embarrassment with the Tigeers, White Sox and Orioles.

"I can't keep it a secret any longer," Rogovin said. "This may be my last chance in the big leagues. I don't know what it is but I can be sitting on the bench during a game and suddenly my eyes would close tight—just like that—and I'd be fast asleep. Because of that I've been accused of many things, but I want you to know that I never loafed on a ball field or during a game in my life. It's just that I can't help myself. I've gone to many doctors trying to find a cure for it, but no one has been able to give me a remedy."

Smith recalled that incident very vividly today.

"I told Saul I was glad he told me about it because if he hadn't and I caught him asleep on the bench I would have hit him over the head with a bat."

Two Share the Lead In Babe Zaharias Cancer Fund Tourney

SARASOTA, Fla. (AP)—Fay Crocker from Montevideo, Uruguay, and Louise Suggs, the Little Georgian, share the lead today going into the second round of the 72-hole Babe Zaharias cancer fund golf tournament.

Each shot 70 yesterday, five under women's par for the 6,395-yard Bobby Jones course.

Miss Suggs led after the first round of this tournament last year. Then she faltered and Betty Jameson came on to win.

This year Miss Jameson, from San Antonio, Tex., was one of several golfers bunched at 73. Another was Kathy Cornelius of Lake Worth, Fla., who won the St. Petersburg Open Sunday.

Other leaders included Beverly Hanson of Apple Valley, Calif., 71; Mickey Wright of San Diego, 72; Marlene Bauer Haggie of Asheville, N. C., 72; and Ruth Jussen of Seattle, low amateur at 74.

Democrat Class Ads Get Results Phone 1000.

Whiteman Air Force Base Officers' and Wives' League High: Connie M. McCulley and Maxine Banger, 1,175 pins. Men's high individual game: Jim Greene, 210 pins. Ladies' high individual game: Maxine Banger, 176 pins.

Hdp. 1 2 3 Tot. Mac McCulley 110 117 179 162 558 M. Banger 146 129 178 166 607 Total 256 246 356 341 1,175

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Athel Banger 144 111 132 161 548 M. McCulley 144 127 165 137 573 Total 1211

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In the Scotch Doubles Ruth and Chuck Soehnlein took top honors with 185 and 210.

Each year 14 million dollars damage is done to London, England, by smog and grit from factory chimneys, experts estimate.

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Lincoln, Jamestown, Deepwater Win—Three More Teams Advance To Semifinals at Smithton

Lincoln, Jamestown and Deepwater scored quarterfinals victories Thursday night in the State Class "S" Regional basketball playoffs at Smithton to join Leeton in its semifinal stage of the tournament.

Lincoln squeaked past LaMonte by a 63-61 score in the first game after overcoming a one-point deficit after the halftime. The Lincolines opened with a 19-18 edge in the first quarter of play but fell behind by a point during the second period. Trailing 30-31 at the half, Lincoln moved into the lead at the three-quarter mark, 46-45, and held LaMonte 17-16 in the final frame to emerge with a close win.

The race, sponsored by the National Assn. for Stock Car Auto racing, was the first of three over the 4.1-mile beach-road course this weekend. Late model convertibles will compete tomorrow and the grand national for late model stock cars will come Sunday.

Flock went 2 for 3 in yesterday's qualifying runs, pacing the grand national entries at 135.74 m.p.h. in a 1956 Chrysler 300B. He won the big one last year in a 1955 Chrysler.

Today's race carried a gross purse of \$8,300, including \$925 in bonuses for which only sportsman entries are eligible. The race winner gets \$1,525.

Mark Mettler was the leader for Sacred Heart with 22 points while his brother, Marvin, collected 17. Officials were Halstead and Ris-

ter.

Second game score by quarters:

Sacred Heart 15 12 25 13-63

La Monte 13 22 16-61

Box score:

Sacred Heart

Mark Mettler 4 3 12 17

Marvin Mettler 2 0 5 12

Racunas 3 0 5 6

Redmond 0 0 2 0

Ressel 4 5 0 13

Roushka 3 1 4 9

Total 27 14 17 65

La Monte

Muri 11 2 27

Box score:

La Monte

FG FT F TP

Kreissler 4 9 5 17

Sanders 2 0 1 4

Rowan 3 4 5 10

Davis 4 0 2 5

Rank 1 3 4 5

Cramer 1 2 2 4

Totals 21 20 26 63

La Monte

FG FT F TP

Hickey 4 0 1 2

Fink 2 0 1 2

Wells 6 7 3 19

Files 10 3 2 23

F. Harding 2 0 2 4

Handicap 0 6 2 6

Totals 20 21 21 61

First game score by quarters:

Lincoln 19 11 16 17-63

La Monte 18 13 14 16-61

Box score:

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Hal Boyle's Column—
Denver Loses Personality
With Modern Day Growth

By HAL BOYLE

DENVER (AP) — Beautiful old Denver, crumbling away — beautiful new Denver, striding the sky higher.

Old Denver, I love you. New Denver, you kind of frighten me. I really don't know you now. I'm not quite sure of you.

Perhaps that is the way a visitor should feel — uncertain, the emotional feeling always of the stranger.

But I don't want to feel that way, and I don't want to be a stranger. I have walked this way before.

It believe it was O. Henry who perpetuated the legend that nothing interesting or important could really happen, in a way, except in New York, San Francisco, or New Orleans.

Those were the only three American cities where real romantic things reportedly could happen, he said, and having set up his straw dummy went on to prove in "a municipal report" that adventure could come to Nashville, too.

As I recall it, it was a quietly gruesome tale of how a loyal Negro retainer did away with the worthless white husband of a worthwhile white lady, and thereby as a servitor kept an old family flag flying.

O. Henry, trying as an author to prove that anything can happen anywhere, might well then have included Denver as a symbol name for adventure, just as today Chicago, Los Angeles, Kansas City, and long-overlooked St. Louis are symbols of new growth.

So are Omaha, Oklahoma City, Tulsa, Houston, Dallas, Fort Worth and other cities.

But as the old individual buildings of the past are torn down and the new more efficient buildings

ings — in terms of the utilization of space — go up, well, something is lost.

What is happening here in Denver in the current American prosperity boom is what is happening to other cities. It is losing a portion of its former personality and getting a crowded feeling.

Even though the fresh tall towers are planted on stilts, the crowded feeling deepens.

There are so few towns that always gave such a spontaneous sense of human freedom such as San Francisco, and Denver.

Beautiful, beautiful old Denver, fading away! Beautiful new Denver, blooming in varied patterns where once wild flowers grew!

What can a man from out of town say about you, Denver? You have garnered the gardens of tradition, and pressed your new plantings closer together and yet farther afar. You grow deeper and yet wider, as other cities do.

You hold a great promise as you cling to a previous performance. You are like a growing youth, Denver, that must and will grow taller, but equally is loved for the days when he was more boisterous, less predictable — and smaller.

Will Observe 'Heart Sunday' in Pettis To Raise More Funds

"Heart Sunday" will be observed here Sunday by the Pettis County Heart Council in one of its steps during the month of February to raise funds for the Heart Fund. "Heart Sunday" is being observed nationally as well.

The Bethel Chapter of Job's Daughters will make calls throughout the residential area of Sedalia Sunday afternoon between 2 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. for those who wish to contribute to the Heart Fund.

The goal of the local organization of the Heart association is \$1,500 during February. A \$3,000 quota had been set by the Missouri Heart Association for the local organization. Through United Fund, \$1,500 was allotted to the local organization. The remaining amount will be raised through the pancake supper being held at the First Methodist Church, Fourth and Osage, this evening; the "Heart Sunday" project; and the tag day

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RESOLUTION NO. 329
A RESOLUTION declaring it necessary to bring to the established grade all that part of Griffith Avenue for the purpose of constructing and to construct a concrete curb and gutter on both sides of Griffith Avenue from the south line of U.S. Highway No. 50 thence south to the north line of Kay Avenue, all public streets within the City of Sedalia, Missouri. BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Sedalia, Missouri, as follows:

SECTION 1. The Council of the City of Sedalia, Missouri, finds, deems and declares it to be necessary to bring to the established grade all that part of Griffith Avenue for the purpose of constructing and to construct a concrete curb and gutter on both sides of Griffith Avenue from the south line of U.S. Highway No. 50 thence south to the north line of Kay Avenue, all public streets within the City of Sedalia, according to the plans and specifications to be prepared by the City Engineer of said City, and to be on file with the City Clerk of said City on or before the 9th day of March, 1956.

SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the curbing and guttering herein provided for shall include all curbs and gutters and all returns of said curb and gutter at all intersections of streets and alleys, if any.

SECTION 3. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Engineer of said City of Sedalia shall prepare plans and specifications for said work and improvement together with an estimate of the cost thereof, and shall file the same with the City Clerk of said City of Sedalia on or before the 9th day of March, 1956.

SECTION 4. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the cost of said improvement shall be paid by special assessment against the lots and lands fronting or abutting on either side of said part of Griffith Avenue, a public street within said city, as aforesaid, to be paid upon completion of said improvements being completed, special tax bills shall be issued against said lots and lands chargeable with the cost of said improvement, and that the cost of bringing said part of said Griffith Avenue to the established grade shall be included in the special assessment for the paying for and bringing of said street to the established grade and curbing and guttering all that part of said Griffith Avenue in the City of Sedalia in manner and form as hereinbefore set forth.

SECTION 5. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution be published for seven (7) consecutive in-

sertions in The Sedalia Democrat, a daily newspaper of general circulation printed and published in said City of Sedalia, Missouri.

PASSED by the Council of the City of Sedalia, Missouri, on the 20th day of February, 1956.

JULIAN H. BAGBY,
President of the Council.

APPROVED by the Mayor of said City on this 21st day of February, 1956.

JULIAN H. BAGBY,
Mayor.

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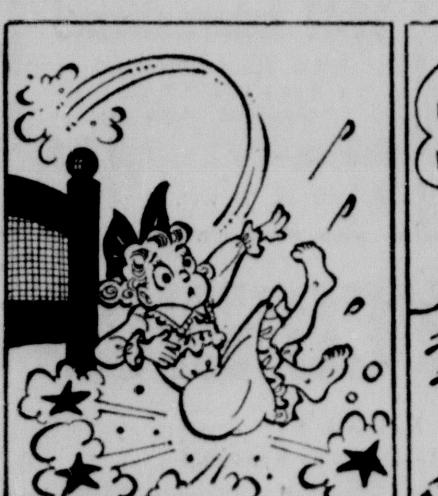
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ADMINISTRATRIX'S PUBLIC SALE

In order to settle the estate of the late Harry B. Scott, I will sell the following at public sale at the farm located 2 miles south of Sweet Springs on Highway 127.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27 - 12:30 P.M.

MACHINERY

1 Co-op tractor and cultivator
1 Farmall tractor
1 2-Row Lister
1 Corn stalk cutter
1 International hay baler
1 New Idea corn picker
1 Drill
1 Corn binder
1 Side delivery windrower
1 Side delivery rake
1 Cultivator
1 Case tractor plow, 14-inch
1 John Deere tractor plow, 14-inch
2 Old plows
1 Old harrow
2 Culti-packers
1 Disc plow
1 Tractor mower
2 Wagons
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1 Sprayer for use on tractor
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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

I, the undersigned administrator, will sell at public auction the following items belonging to the Estate of the late Mr. and Mrs. Grover Oelrich, at the Oelrich farm, 2 1/4 miles East on Route C and 1 mile North of Bahner, and 15 miles South of Sedalia, on

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**Rev. Neal to Speak
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The Rev. D. Warren Neal, pastor of the Broadway Presbyterian Church, will speak Sunday morning on "The Call of Christ."

The Westminster Fellowship Groups will meet separately on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

Boy Scout Troop 63 will meet on Monday at 7:30 p.m.

The Cub Scouts will hold their annual Blue and Gold Banquet on Tuesday, starting with a dinner at 6:30 p.m. All cubs, leaders, parents and friends are invited.

The mid-week Lenten service will be held on Wednesday at 6:30. The meal will be served by the Night Group of the Women's Association. Chaplain Karl Schofer of Whiteman Air Force Base will be the speaker. His theme will be "Pilate."

The board of trustees will hold its regular monthly meeting at 8 p.m. Wednesday.

On Thursday at 12:15 a luncheon will be served by Group 2 of the Women's Association. This is the regular monthly meeting of the association. Mrs. H. W. Schrimsher will give the devotional. Mrs. E. M. Stafford, Jr., will have charge of the program on "Indian Americans." Mrs. B. E. Heacock will show slides of their recent trip to Mexico.

The Communicants Class will meet on Saturday at 9:30 a.m.

**When God Says No'
Is Pastor's Text**

"When God Says No" will be the message brought Sunday morning at the Federated Church by Dr. Leonard Reifel, pastor. The choir will sing "Jubilate" as arranged by Wilson. An evening Lenten service will be held at 7:30 that same day, when Dr. Reifel's subject will be "Judas Iscariot." He will be assisted by James Thompson and Dr. J. W. Bryden.

This honor grew out of the accomplishments as a chaplain, his extensive travels, and his scholastic attainments.

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Dr. Royal J. Dye, pioneer missionary to Central Africa, is a guest of the First Christian Church this week and will preach there Sunday morning at both the early 8:30 a.m. service and at the 10:30 a.m. worship service.

Dr. Dye will also be speaking to the laymen's group of the church at their regular dinner meeting this evening. He has chosen for his subject for tonight, "Big Game Hunting in the Heart of Africa."

Dr. and Mrs. Dye spent their honeymoon in 1899 enroute to the Belgian Congo. He had just received his M.D. degree and the couple went there to help open up missionary work in that part of Africa. At Bolenge station on the upper Congo these two people began the

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Farm Loans Argued

Ellender Hits At Dollar Limit On Price Support Loans During Farm Debate

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23—(P)—Chairman Ellender (D-La) of the Senate Agriculture Committee spoke out in the Senate today against any dollar limit on price support loans for any one farm.

Ellender went into this subject as the Senate considered for a second day a controversial new farm bill. Major features of the bill would set up a "soil bank" system of paying farmers to retire acres from crops, and would return to a rigid, high system of price supports.

Have Urged Limit On Loans

President Eisenhower and others, among them Sens. Watkins (R-Utah) and Langer (R-ND), have asked for a limit on loans as a way to keep from subsidizing big operators in competition with family-sized farms.

However, Ellender said his committee decided it "would be unwise" to impose a limit.

"Larger farmers supply the majority of our production," Ellender said, adding that if a dollar limit were placed on price support loans, the bulk of production would be limited chiefly "to the small farmers with the government taking over their total production."

Gives Reason For Opposition

Ellender's line of reasoning was: If a big farm operator were allowed price support loans on only part of his production, he would sell everything beyond that at whatever the market would bring.

Prices would then fall to the point that the small farmer could not sell his crops for as much as the government price support level, and the government would have to take over his production.

Watkins introduced a bill yesterday to limit the total supports in one year to any one farm or any individual to \$50,000. Langer offered a similar bill, setting the top limit at \$35,000.

Langer contended his \$35,000 ceiling would affect "less than 1 per cent of the farm units in the nation."

"We must stop using the power of the government to subsidize competition of our largest factories-in-the-field against family farmers," he said.

Disputing this, Ellender said the actual result of a limit would be to give a cash subsidy to the small farmer who would be producing crops only for government storage.

Says Supports Not For Subsidy

He said price supports were "never intended for a subsidy," and continued:

"They are means by which a farmer may borrow money on what he produces so that he will not be compelled to dump his crop on the market all at once and thereby depress prices."

Before Ellender could continue his second day of speaking for the pending farm bill, then majority leader, Lyndon B. Johnson (D-Tex.), forced two calls of the Senate roll to get enough senators on hand to conduct business.

Farm belt senators complained late yesterday that only a few lawmakers were listening to the debate.

The bill now contains a provision that would restore mandatory rigid supports on basic crops. It was inserted by an 8-7 party-splitting vote of the Agriculture Committee.

Central Missouri Press Association Will Meet on Friday

The Central Missouri Press Association will meet Friday on the Central Missouri State College campus at Warrensburg.

The press association members and members of their staffs will be guests of the College at a coffee hour at 5 p.m. in the Todd Hall private dining room, and a dinner at 6 p.m. in the main Todd Hall dining room.

After the dinner there will be a round-table discussion of newspaper problems.

Press association members who desire to see the College buildings or visit classes during the afternoon will be provided guides.

The Weather

Considerable cloudiness and warmer today; Saturday cloudy and colder with scattered showers or thunderstorms; high today in upper 50s.

The temperature Thursday at 7 a.m. was 38; 47 at 1 p.m. and 49 at 2 p.m. Low Wednesday night 33.

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Publicize Inquiry On Dulles

Senate Group Will Make Public Query On US Policy In Middle East

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23—(P)—The Senate Foreign Relations Committee decided today to throw open to the public tomorrow its questioning of Secretary of State Dulles about American policy in the Middle East.

Committee aides said Dulles' testimony, previously scheduled for a closed session, will be given before the group in an open meeting.

Urge Consultation With Congress

Dulles, under fire over Middle East arms shipments, is confronted with a call for closer consultation with Congress on major foreign policy issues.

Leading this call for closer consultation was Sen. George (D-Ga.) chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee and principal Democratic spokesman on foreign policy.

George said he hopes to lay the groundwork for more frequent bulletins from the State Department when Dulles appears before his committee tomorrow, ostensibly to explain the Saudi Arabian tank deal that caused such a commotion last weekend.

Dulles agreed to a public hearing, after George said this would be "advisable" in view of what he called public and congressional confusion. It had been planned to hold the meeting behind closed doors. With the decision to admit the public, it was announced the hearing would be held in the caucus room, largest of the Senate hearing chambers, at 2:30 p.m.

Present Affairs "Disturbing"

George called the present state of foreign affairs "disturbing." He told reporters he is particularly concerned by what appears to be an "uncertainty" about American actions in the Middle East and South Asia.

It is highly important that Congress receive more information about what is going on," George said. He said he knew nothing about the Saudi Arabian tank deal "until I saw it in the newspaper."

"There is too much confusion in the public mind and in the congressional mind as to what is happening in the Middle East and elsewhere," George said. "It is most important that the State Department give the committee a fuller knowledge continuously as its actions."

The disclosure last week that this country was sending 18 light training tanks to the Sauri Arabians is the immediate reason for Dulles' invitation before the Foreign Relations Committee.

LaMonte Fire Association Holds Meeting

At a special call meeting of the LaMonte Community Fire Association Monday night it was voted to submit two proposals to the rural community for fire protection.

The first proposal will be the same one the association was formed under—\$25 membership fee per farm and \$3 dues annual.

The second proposal is—if a person did not desire to become a member he could buy fire protection for \$5 per year per farm but would not be eligible to vote at the meetings.

The practice of the community fire truck, answering all fire calls, will be discontinued under the new proposition. To receive fire protection a farmer will have to be a member or pay the \$5 a year fee effective on May 8.

The two Senators last Jan. 17 requested of the U.S. Department of Agriculture coverage for this county along with several others which were recently authorized.

Farmers in Cass County will now be able to insure their 1956 corn.

This is a part of the FCIC of the U.S. Department of Agriculture which opened this month a Missouri headquarters in Sedalia. The new offices are located in the Central Business College Building, Sixth and Massachusetts.

Reed Granger, state director, stated since the office was opened on Monday, Feb. 20, a greater response has been had than first anticipated from throughout Missouri.



HARP QUINTET—These are the Angelaires who will perform at the next Community Concert Association concert Saturday evening at Smith-Cotton Auditorium. The performance will begin at 8:15 p.m.



OUT FOR GOLF—President Eisenhower squints into the sun as he follows his ball during a golf game on the Glen Arvin Country Club course at Thomasville, Ga. (NEA Telephoto)

Was Told Of Funds Bid In Chicago— Tells Of Request By Ford For '52 Dealers' Aid To Ike

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23—(P)—A former Ford dealer testified today he was told the Ford Motor Co. would set up its Chicago dealers to contribute \$50,000 to help elect President Eisenhower in 1952.

Milton Ratner, who sold Fords in Chicago for 20 years, said he was asked to give \$1,000 but that, "as far as I know," he was one of two Ford dealers in the city who refused to contribute to the campaign last weekend.

Ratner told his story to a Senate subcommittee investigating automotive marketing practices. He said his information came from another Chicago Ford dealer who was never identified during the proceedings.

This information, Ratner swore, was that the call for \$50,000 came from "the office of Henry Ford."

C. F. Scotten Heads Knife And Fork Club

Guest Night Feature At Mar. 15 Program Will Be Humorist



C. F. Scotten

C. F. Scotten, county superintendent of schools, was elected president of the Sedalia Knife and Fork Club at a meeting of its board of directors held this week at the Bothwell Hotel.

B. E. Heacock was elected first vice-president; Miss Eva Evans, second vice-president, and Mrs. John W. Welch was reelected secretary-treasurer.

Present for the board meeting in addition to the new officers were J. L. Van Wagner, James E. Duryea, Dr. Briggs Rice, Mrs. E. F. Yancey, H. C. Salverte, G. H. Routsong, R. A. Malone, K. U. Love and H. W. Barrick.

The meeting was presided over by William B. Rich, retiring president, who announced that Ed Hardin, humorist, would appear before the club on March 15, which will be guest night. This meeting will be held in the Smith-Cotton High School cafeteria.

Motion For New Trial Filed For Rep. Green

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 23—(P)—A motion for a new trial was filed in Circuit Court today in behalf of State Rep. John W. Green, St. Louis Democrat who was fined \$1,000 on Feb. 7 for obtaining money under false pretenses.

The motion claimed new evidence has been discovered and that improper evidence was permitted to reach the jury in the trial earlier this month.

Green, a Negro, was convicted of obtaining \$600 from a woman constituent on the representation he could obtain a parole for her convict husband.

All Appropriation Items—

Special Legislative Session Will Face Ten Major Tasks

When the special session of the Missouri legislature begins Monday, the Senators and Representatives will have exactly ten major tasks before them as stipulated by the legislature's seventh job.

Number Eight will be appropriating money to pay for the special referendum election on Oct. 4 of last year, when Missourians voted in favor of the school foundation plan and for a cigaret tax to pay for it. The counties and cities will be reimbursed for their expenses resulting from the conduct of the election.

The foremost job will be to appropriate the \$75,000,000 for which issuance of bonds was approved by the voters in Missouri on Jan. 24. This money will be used for repairing, remodeling and rebuilding state buildings and property at the penal, educational and eleemosynary institutions of Missouri.

The second job will be to appropriate payment of the expenses of the Jan. 24 election, which includes reimbursing all the counties and cities for their expenses, too; and the fourth job will be to consider an amendment to the Revised Statutes which would extend the time of maturity of refunding revenue bonds of state educational institutions.

The fifth job will be to appropriate extra money for operating expenses of the state penitentiary and the intermediate reformatory, while Number Six is to appropriate extra money to take care of the race given the director of the State Department of Corrections, as already established by House Bill No. 377 during the last regular session. The director's salary was doubled from \$7,500 to \$15,000.

The Division of Workmen's Compensation also stands to get some extra money for salaries and a new branch office at Joplin, the legislature's seventh job.

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In the rush, the legislature, which fully intended to provide the director of revenue with extra funds to handle the collection of the new cigaret tax, failed to do so, and the director had to dip into the general revenue fund to handle this big assignment. So the legislature's ninth job will be to appropriate money to pay for future collection expenses and to reimburse the director for the funds he had to take from the general revenue fund.

For his last meal today he was given—at his own request—the regular evening meal provided for officers at the big prison here. The menu included soup with crackers, beefsteak, French fried potatoes, buttered noodles, seasoned spinach, biscuits and apple butter, coffee or milk, mixed fruit and cookies.

Normally, a condemned man gets whatever he wishes for his last meal. But Brown said the food he had been served from the officers' mess was fine and he would make no change at the end.

INSIDE STORIES

The changeable weather in the spring brings on many child illnesses. Some ideas on how to help control them when they are confined read the story on Page 10, Section 2.

The Air Force has its own program for taking care of dependents in various situations. The story is on Page 2, Section 2.

A judge who had a record of hanging many criminals will have a memorial to fit his nickname. See story on Page 7, Section 1.

Plans Detailed Probe Of Guided Missile Program

Sen. Russell To Set Up Special Group To Make Inquiry In AF, Missile Plans; Lauds The Navy

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23—(P)—Sen. Russell (D-Ga.) crystallized his criticism of the administration's Air Force and guided missile plans today with the announcement of plans for a detailed investigation.

On the other hand, he expressed great satisfaction with the Navy and the way it is adapting itself to use of atomic weapons.

Navy Most Powerful In History

Russell, chairman of the Senate Armed Services Committee, said:

"It is generally understood the U. S. Navy is the most powerful thing on the high seas in history."

Russell told reporters he would set up a special subcommittee to conduct an inquiry "wholly with respect to the Air Force and guided missile program."

"It would go into the whole subject in a great deal more detail than the full committee would have time to do," he said.

Russell called only yesterday for at least another 1 1/2 billion dollars for the Air Force, which is down for \$16,535,000,000 in President Eisenhower's budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1.

Says Program Inadequate

He contends the administration program is inadequate and takes "every long chances with security."

Secretary of the Air Force Monroney and Gen. Nathan Twining, Air Force chief of staff, told Russell's committee Tuesday that the budget is adequate for the present.

Russell's committee, now making a study of the general preparedness program, took testimony from Secretary of the Navy Thomas and Adm. Arleigh Burke, chief of naval operations.

A manufacturer's solicitation of campaign contributions four years ago, he added, would have amounted to "very severe pressure on the dealer because cars are his life's blood and were in very short supply at that time."

General Motors dealers and others will be asked if they were solicited for political donations, Monroney said, and the record will be available for the Senate's new investigation of lobby pressures.

Had Troubles With Company

Russell had been telling senators about his troubles with Ford Motors—a series of disagreements which ended with the cancellation of his franchise in March 1955.

Monroney asked him whether he had ever suggested that he make political contributions.

Russell replied that another dealer telephoned him in 1952 and, "I was told I was down for \$1,000 for the campaign of our great President." He added that he was referring to Eisenhower.

The dealer who asked him for the contribution, Russell said, instructed him to "turn it over at once, to a Mr. Ryerson, I believe, who was head of the Eisenhower for President Committee."

Russell told the subcommittee he had made such contributions "all my life, but in my own name and to our own people."

Pleads Guilty To \$843 Income Tax Evasion

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 23—(P)—Webster L. Brainerd of Marathon, Fla., pleaded guilty today to evading \$843 in federal income taxes in 1949-50 when he was co-operator of two St. Louis



Mrs. Cecil Bohon, Jr. (Lehmer Photo)

Miss Lois Thurman, Cecil Bohon, Are Wed In Afternoon Ceremony

Miss Lois Thurman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thurman, 200 East 16th, and Cecil Bohon Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bohon, 901 South Missouri, were united in marriage at 1:30 the afternoon of February 10 in a double ring ceremony performed by Father Sims at the Calvary Episcopal Church.

The bride wore a white lace dress over bridal satin featuring

Daisy Bell Circle Has Valentine Luncheon

The Daisy Bell Circle of the Epworth Methodist Church met at the church Feb. 15 for an all day meeting and Valentine luncheon.

Mrs. May Keenan and Mrs. Mayne Shelby were the hostesses to 20 members and three visitors, Mary Sue Morgan, Mrs. Willie Newham and Mrs. Neil Thompson.

The Valentine motif was carried out in the table decorations. Mrs. Varney gave the invocation.

At 1:30 the business session was in charge of the chairman, Mrs. Vina Haeslip. The meeting opened with all repeating the "National Club Collect." There were 22 cards sent and 60 sick calls made during the month.

The devotions were in charge of Mrs. Mayne Shelby, Mrs. May Varney, Mrs. May Stratton, Mrs. Helen Pfughoef, Mrs. Vina Haeslip and Mrs. Maude Keithley.

During the meeting, the church's building program and the World Day of Prayer were discussed by Mrs. Haeslip and Mrs. Lois Henderson.

After the business was transacted, a social session was held at which time Valentines were exchanged and secret pals remembered.

Mrs. Ann Purnell and Mrs. Helen Pfughoef will act as hostesses in March.

South Abell Club Meets For February Session

The South Abell Extension Club met Feb. 8 at the home of Mrs. L. C. Schnieder with Mrs. Kenneth Mickens assisting.

The business meeting with Mrs. E. L. Bohon, Jr., presiding, opened at 11. Roll was answered with "Why I Consider It Essential to Keep Farm and Home Accounts."

Mrs. Mickens gave the scripture reading. The group discussed making cancer dressings and giving a donation to the Crippled Children's Ward at Bothwell Hospital.

After a contributed dinner, the program was presented. Mrs. Walter Rissler discussed "Family Living Plans." Mrs. R. G. Franklin talked on "Public Affairs" and Mrs. Charles Hickman presented a topic, "Gardening."

The March meeting will be with Mrs. J. L. Bohon, Jr.

C. B. Homemakers With Mrs. Lemler

Camp Branch Homemakers Club met at the home of Mrs. Walter Lemler Feb. 14 with Mrs. Buell Hoard presiding in the absence of the president and vice-president. Mrs. Paul Neitzert reported on the progress of simple dress construction.

Mrs. Elmer Bullard led the discussion on farm safety. Mrs. Leroy Ryan made a report on gardening.

Roll call was answered with "Next Step in Carrying Out Our Living Plan." There were nine members present.

The homemade Valentines were judged with the prize going to Mrs. Paul Neitzert. Mrs. Hoard received a gift from her secret pal.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Robert Isel March 13.



Mrs. Rodney Miller

Miss Marilyn Roy, Rodney Miller United In Marriage In Iowa City

Miss Marilyn Roy, daughter of Mrs. Herbert Scott Roy and the late Dr. Roy, Park Forest, Ill., and Rodney W. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Miller, 817 South Sneed, were united in marriage Saturday, February 11, at St. Thomas More Chapel, Iowa City, Ia.

The bride wore a street length dress of champagne taffeta fashioned with a V-neck and empress lines, with a skirt of unpressed pleats. She wore a shoulder length veil of champagne net which fell from a half hat adorned with seed pearls.

The bride is a senior at the University of Iowa at Iowa City. The bridegroom is in the law school of the University.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Miller, Sedalia, and their son, Roger Miller, University of Missouri, Columbia, attended the wedding.

Longwood WSCS With Mrs. Tom Harvey

The Longwood Methodist WSCS met at the home of Mrs. Tom Harvey Feb. 15 in an all-day session. In the morning two chapters of the mission study book, "Efforts for Lasting Peace" were reviewed by Mrs. John Greer and Miss Emma Brashear. Mrs. Greer presented a membership pin to the vice-president, Mrs. Mary Meyers assisting.

Mrs. Richard Stage, sister of the bride, served as matron of honor. Serving as best man was John Bohon, brother of the bridegroom.

The mother of the bride wore a black dress with black accessories, her corsage being of white carnations. Mrs. Bohon wore a black dress with black accessories. Her corsage was also of white carnations. Following the ceremony the couple left for a short honeymoon and then will be at home in Kansas City where the bridegroom is employed.

After a contributive dinner, the World Day of Prayer service was led by Mrs. John Greer.

Mrs. Greer conducted the business session. Aprons and favors for the spring conference in Kansas City were brought by the members. Cards were signed to send to four absent members. The meeting was closed with a candle service of rededication.

The March meeting will be with Mrs. Greer and Mrs. Hurt will lead the devotional. Dr. C. E. Hix, Fayette, will be guest speaker.

W. A. Smiths Vacation To Nassau In Bahamas

Nassau, a small British isle in the Bahamas, attracted Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith, 1109 West Broadway, Sedalia in their retreat from the snow. They embarked from Miami aboard the S.S. Queen of Nassau for a three-day cruise to Nassau. Cruising with them were Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Sparn, Caledonia; Mr. and Mrs. Grady Sullivan, Miami, Fla., and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Plaski, Louisville, Ky.

Since the ship docks half a block from Bay Street, they found the native straw markets and the typical British shops very accessible. They also had time to take a carriage ride through town, view Queen Ann's Staircase and take a small glass bottom boat to beautiful Paradise Beach.

Calvary Baptist BWC Holds Feb. Meeting

The BWC of Calvary Baptist Church held its February meeting Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Gehlken, 1703 West 16.

Mrs. Clay Sheddley, president, presided over the business session and the devotional was given by Mrs. Percy Williams.

Mrs. B. B. Bradley taught the book, "The Tribes Go Up," a study on the Indians, after which the meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. H. L. Alley.

Refreshments were served during the social hour to ten members and three visitors.

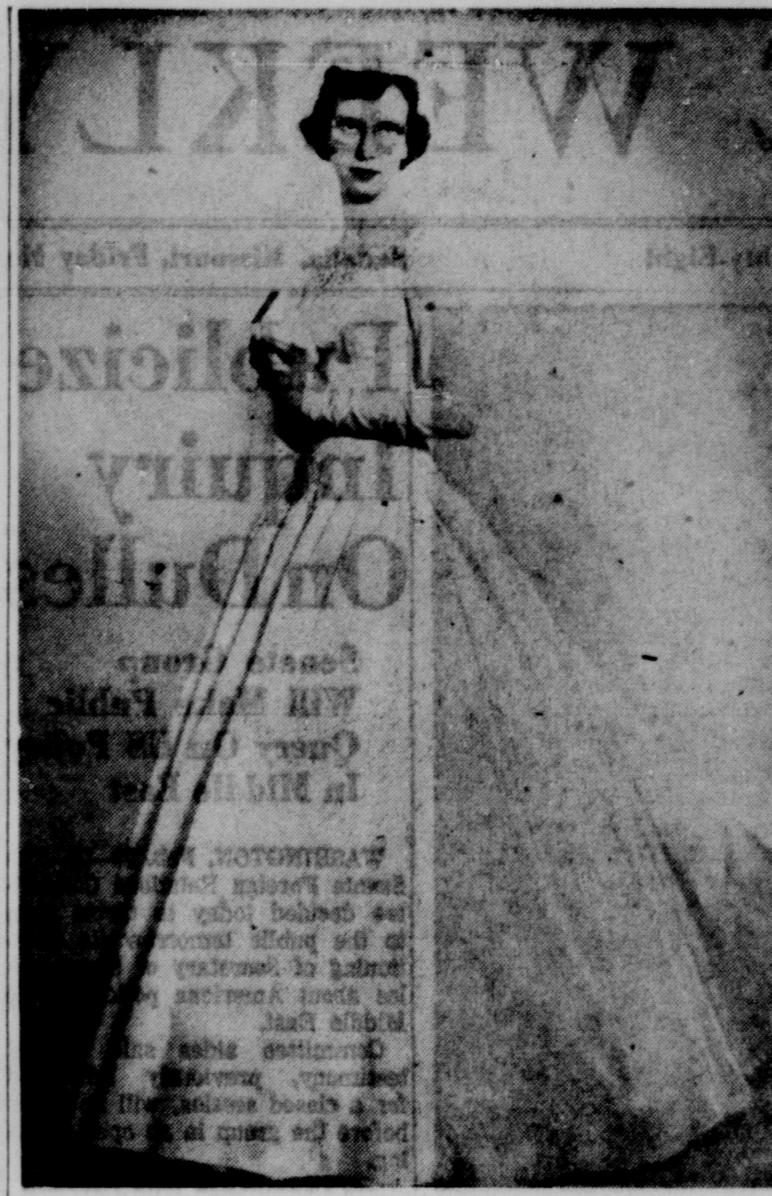
Two new members were welcomed into the circle, Mrs. Marshall Welch and Mrs. Herman Smith.

Honors Mary Snavely On 16th Birthday

A supper was given in honor of Miss Mary Jane Snavely on her 16th birthday Feb. 14 at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Snavely, 423 East Walnut.

Those attending were: the honoree, Miss Beverly Burnett, Miss Nancy Vaught, Miss Charlotte Wolff, Miss Judy Hopkins, and Miss Julia Mae Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bodine, Collinsville, Ill., formerly of Sedalia, announce the engagement of their daughter, La Donna, to Howard Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Nelson, St. Paul, Nebr. The wedding will take place at Solvang, Calif., Feb. 26.



Mrs. Robert Eugene Holtzen

Miss Betty Ann Hogrefe United In Marriage With Robert Holtzen

Miss Betty Ann Hogrefe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Hogrefe, Salina, Kan., and Robert Eugene Holtzen, son of Mrs. Clara E. Holtzen, Sedalia, were united in marriage in an afternoon service at St. John's Lutheran Church, Salina, January 22 with the Rev. Walter H. Moeller officiating.

Mrs. John Cooper, organist, accompanied the soloists, Tracy Dilling and Mrs. Glenn Young.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor length gown of imported pure silk taffeta designed with a smooth torso bodice and long tapering sleeves.

Alencon lace, sprinkled with seed pearls and iridescent sequins, was appliqued on the rounded neckline, sides of the bodice and at the hip line. The full skirt, worn over crinolines and a hoop, was trimmed with lace medallions. A half bonnet of lace and pleated tulle with a pearl edging held the double veil of pure imported silk illustration. She carried a white Bible

topped with a white orchid.

Carolyn Jo Peterson, Salina, was maid of honor and the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. Palmer Jeffries, Liberty, was her other attendant. Both wore identical floor length gowns of white taffeta styled with torso bodices and scoop necklines. Each carried bouquets of pink carnations and wore halo headresses of pink carnations.

Robert E. Hogrefe, Salina, brother of the bride, served as best man. Frank Witter, also of Salina, was groomsman.

William Atkinson, Sedalia, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, and Bruce H. Collins, Salina, ushered.

Flower girl was Vicki Atkinson, Sedalia, and Scott Frazier, Salina, was ringbearer. Larry Peterson, Salina, was candlelighter.

Guests were received in the church parlors. Reception assistants were Mrs. William Atkinson, Sedalia, sister of the bridegroom; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Badley, Mr. and Mrs. Manford Peck, Mrs. William Davis, Mrs. Walter Peck, Mrs. David Pollak, Rosemary Johnson and Alice Stegeman.

The bride attended Stephens College, Columbia, and is a graduate of Kansas Wesleyan University. She is a teller at the Farmers National Bank in Salina.

The bridegroom attended the University of Kansas City and is stationed at Smoky Hill AFB.

After a wedding trip to Mexico, the couple are at home in Salina.

Rehmer Is Proclaimed 1955 Pettis County Corn Growing Champ

Edwin L. Rehmer of Cole Camp was recently proclaimed county corn growing champion at a banquet held at the Elmo Hotel in Elexcisor Springs in honor of Missouri corn growing champions. His yield of 117.68 bushels per acre was the top yield in Pettis County in the 1955 National Selected Five Acre DeKalb Corn Growing Contest.

Runner-up honors went to Emil Wellner of Sweet Springs with a fine yield of 103.52 bushels per acre. The first two place winners were unable to attend the banquet. Third place honors were taken by H. C. Menegali, also of Sweet Springs, with a yield of 94.60 bushels per acre. Allen F. Oelrichs, of Sedalia, was fourth place winner with a yield of 88.32 bushels per acre.

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Mrs. Gene Dale Williams

Miss Mary Ann Ayres Becomes Bride of Gene Dale Williams

Miss Mary Ann Ayres, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ball Fortuna, became the bride of Gene Dale Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Williams, Tipton, in a double ring ceremony at 2 o'clock the afternoon of February 11, at the Fortuna Methodist Church, with the Rev. Clark N. Holt officiating.

Mrs. Clark Holt, Tipton, played "I Love Thee Truly," and "Clare de Lune" on the piano.

The bride wore a two-piece aqua faille dress with black accessories and a corsage of carnations.

Mrs. A. G. Combs, Tipton, served as matron of honor and wore a dusty rose faille dress with black accessories. She also wore a corsage of white carnations. A. G. Combs served as best man.

Hold Initiation Ceremonies Sedalia Job's Daughters

Job's Daughters, Bethel 15, of Sedalia, held a regular meeting and initiation on Wednesday, Feb. 8.

Mrs. Winnie Maston, Grand Guardian of the State of Missouri, made her official visit at this meeting. Mrs. Maston was accompanied by her daughter, a member of a Bethel of Job's Daughters in St. Louis.

Before the meeting, the line of officers, Kay Satterwhite, Honored Queen, Karen Crosslin, Senior

Johnson County Begins Forming Palsy Group

Officers of United Cerebral Palsy of Pettis County and the Western District of Missouri met with civic leaders at Warrensburg Thursday night in one of the first steps in organizing a Johnson County unit for UCP.

A number of Sedilians attended the meeting which was held at the Missouri Public Service offices. These included Harold Barrick, president of UCP for Pettis County; Don King, Virgil Herrick, A. B. Warren and Bill Hopkins, who are board members of the organization. Herrick is vice-president and Hopkins is publicity director of the West District Missouri organization. Warren is vice-president of the Pettis County organization.

Also attending the meeting was Mrs. Gregory Connor, Sedalia, organizational chairman for West Central, and Bill Lovell, president of this organization, who resides at Marshall.

Mrs. Rudolph Swope, director of the local Crippled Children's Center, told of the center's operation and introduced several of her assistants who were present, including Mrs. Robb Whitley, Mrs. Norma Jean Urton, Mrs. Georgia Collins, Mrs. Georgia Hall, Mrs. Alice Norris and Mrs. Betty Pyle. Also attending were Mrs. Barrick and Mr. Connor.

Higby to Present 'Wheel of Fortune' To Oil Men's Club

C. D. Higby, Socony Mobil Oil Co., will present a "Wheel of Fortune" at Monday's meeting of the Central Missouri Oil Men's Club at Dan's Restaurant in Sedalia. His presentation will follow a reception, starting at 6:30 p. m., and dinner.

Higby is supervisor of sales promotion and training for Socony Mobil. He has been in the market end of the oil business for 32 years and with Socony for 29. A veteran of World War I and II, he is a former regional Boy Scout commissioner in both Kansas and Iowa and is active in American Legion affairs.

Higby's demonstration, "Wheel of Fortune," deals with both the history of the oil industry and its present-day structure.

REAL ESTATE

Transfers

James M. Miller and wife to Frank P. and Dorothy M. Blaylock warranty deed to property at northwest corner of 9th Street and Hancock Avenue, \$1 and other consideration.

Doye D. Furnell and wife to Ira L. and Mary Lou DeJarnette warranty deed to property on the east side of Arlington Avenue between 12th and 14th Streets, \$1 and other consideration.

James W. Reynolds and wife to John M. and Paulene M. Burleson warranty deed to property on the south side of Second Street between Park and Stewart Avenues, \$1 and other consideration.

C. W. Peters to Lena A. Mary warranty deed to property on the north side of 7th Street between Missouri and Vermont Avenues, \$1 and other consideration.

Stephenson Construction Company to John R. West Jr. and Wanda D. West warranty deed to property on the north side of Third Street between Washington and Mill Avenues, \$1 and other consideration.

Jesse H. Rabourn and wife to Robert F. and Genevieve Long warranty deed to property on the east side of Arlington Ave. between 10th and 12th Streets, \$1 and other consideration.

Bernice Craft and wife to Norman and Sammie D. Howden warranty deed to property on north side of Woodlawn Drive, just west of Third Street, \$1.00 and other consideration.

Wayne B. Mountjoy and wife to William E. and Margaret A. Murray warranty deed to property on the east side of Missouri Avenue between 18th Street and the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway, \$1 and other consideration.

William K. Boyce and wife to Thomas E. Wherley warranty deed to property at southeast corner of Osage Avenue and Twelfth Street, \$1 and other consideration.

Philomena F. Kraus to James G. and Rose M. Pace warranty deed to property on north side of Fifth Street between Harrison and Grand Avenues, \$1 and other consideration.

The bride is a graduate of the Tipton High School, class of 1954 and attended Central Missouri State College. She is now a typist at the Jefferson Building in Jefferson City.

The bridegroom is a graduate of the Tipton High School, class of 1954. He is employed at the Weber Shoe Co., Inc., in Tipton.



NEW WOMEN OF THE MOOSE—Eight new members were initiated into the Sedalia Women of the Moose, Chapter No. 1242 at the Mid-winter Conference held Feb. 12. They are seated left to right: Velma Huntington, Louella Bradbury, Viola Kramer, Elzora Rogers, Olevia DeJarnett, Carmela Hammerly, Ruth Mahnken and Ann Simons, not present. Standing are officers and chairmen of the chapters who are left to right: Marie Robb, chaplain; Ruth Gregory, Junior Regent; Patricia Storkley, Senior Regent, general chairman; Ruth Rutter, Senior Regent, St. Joseph, conference leader; Nadine Galbraith, College of Regents, principal speaker; Virginia Luther, junior graduate regent; Alice McMillan, treasurer; and Ann Patterson, recorder. (Wright photo)

Women of Moose Hear College of Regents Member Speak At Mid-Winter Conference

Mrs. Nadine Galbraith, member of the College of Regents, was principal speaker at the Mid-Winter Conference of the Women of the Moose held at the Moose Home Feb. 12. Sedalia Chapter No. 1242, was one of 220 chapters throughout the USA and Canada holding similar meetings on that day. In her talk, Mrs. Galbraith gave interesting facts about the work of the College of Regents.

The initiation was executed by members of the St. Joseph Chapter. Ruth Rutter, Senior Regent, was conference leader and presided during the meeting. Those initiated were Velma Huntington, Louella Bradbury, Viola Kramer, Elzora Rogers, Olevia DeJarnett, Carmela Hammerly, Ruth Mahnken and Ann Simons.

Patricia Ann Storkley, Senior Regent, Sedalia, was general chairman of arrangements. Other officers taking part were Ann Patterson, reg-

istration; Alice McMillan, Virginia Luther and Mabel Cramer, hospitality; and Marie Robb and Ruth Gregory, refreshments.

After the close of the ceremony, a social hour was held. The tables were covered with white lace cloths. Centering the serving table was a group of interesting replicas of Mooseheart and Moosehaven, depicting the work of the Moose organization. It consisted of a large heart with a moosehead in the center and a triangle with the letters F, H and C, for faith, hope and charity, at the points. On one side of the heart was a replica of an aged couple seated on a park bench surrounded by palm trees and blooming plants symbolizing Moosehaven, "The Home of Content." On the other side were two tiny cribs with babies in pink and blue blankets representing Moosehaven's "Baby Village."

Older farmers — those now 65 or over, and those who will have reached 65 at that time — can retire after March and start getting monthly old-age insurance payments if they meet the earnings requirement stated above. Other farmers, regardless of age, will acquire family protection under social security law on the first of April provided they meet the same earnings requirement. If they should die at that time their dependents would become entitled to monthly survivors insurance benefit checks.

The National Engineering and Manufacturing Co. will take possession of the old depot around the 20th of March for storage of raw materials and some finished products. Officials of the company stated that it will be a convenient location for storage and shipping facilities due to the existing rail lines. The Central States Co. will move its business to a new building as close to this date as possible.

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3-Way Change Centers About Freight Depot

Railroad Remodels, Fan Firm Expands, And Grocers Build

Several changes are being made in the city's business picture. The Katy Railroad is moving their freight depot from the location at Main and Washington over to the passenger depot at 600 East Third and the freight depot will be taken over by the National Engineering and Manufacturing Co. Also involved in the changes is the Central States Grocers Association, which has had quarters in the freight depot.

The Katy has announced an extensive remodeling program for the passenger depot in order to accommodate the freight traffic. Offices on the second floor will be remodeled for use of the claim agent and the special agent, who are now located on the first floor.

The space they formerly occupied together with some unused space, will be remodeled to provide space for the freight depot and warehouse space. In order to handle the rail-truck service, a concrete dock measuring 12 feet by 44 feet will be constructed and an overhead door, 8 by 8 feet, will be opened. Other work will mostly consist of moving partitions, plastering, painting and re-arranging heating and lighting facilities.

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Activity Association Has Fine Arts Display

The Pettis-Benton County Activity Association Fine Arts Display was held at the Lincoln Grade School Feb. 8. Six schools participated with a total of 492 entries. There was no competition among the schools as each entry was judged on its own merits, rather than in comparison with other entries. A total of 77 blue ribbons, 51 red ribbons and 64 white ribbons were awarded to entrants from the following schools: Lincoln, 19 blue, 14 red, 16 white; Green Ridge, 18 blue, 8 red, 8 white; Smithton, 16 blue, 7 red, 14 white; Cole Camp, 8 blue, 19 red, 6 white; Warsaw, 11 blue, 6 red, 8 white; LaMonte, 2 blue, 2 red, 8 white. Eleven entries were awarded ribbons but were not identified as to school.

Work Starts On Sacred Heart Annex

Two-Story Building Will Go Up East Of Present School

Ground has been broken next to the Sacred Heart High School for an addition to the school and construction will begin shortly.

The addition, to the east side of the present structure, will measure 90 by 70 feet and will contain 11 new classrooms, a cafeteria and a kitchen. Two stories high, it will be constructed of brick veneer with Before stone trim. It will be completely fire-resistant, steam-heated and will have good lighting on all sides. It will have steel joists, steel window frames, acoustical ceilings and asphalt tile floors in all the classrooms. The floors of the corridors, cafeteria and kitchen and the stairs will be terrazzo. Wainscoting in the corridors, kitchen and cafeteria will be glazed tile, in a beige tone.

The top floor of both buildings will be devoted to high school activities and the ground floor will be for elementary classes. The high school students will enter and leave on the west side, while the elementary pupils will use the entrances on the south and east sides.

The new cafeteria, to be located in the basement, will be able to serve the entire school at one sitting. The old cafeteria, now in the basement of the present building, will probably be converted to other use.

The two buildings will be able to hold up to 300 elementary pupils and 150 high school students.

Cramer and Schrader are constructing the building on a bid of \$163,400. Cost of equipment and other items may bring the total cost to between \$180,000 to \$200,000.

The building was designed by Schwarz and Sammons, Sedalia architects.

Smith-Cotton News--

Swafford and Bohon Win School Sweetheart Contest

By Nancy Oswald and Bob Mason

Friday evening, Feb. 17, from 8 o'clock to 10 o'clock in the Smith-Cotton High School Cafeteria was the scene of a beautiful Valentine dance. Music for the dance was furnished by the band of Ronnie Hopper and the highlight of the evening was the announcement of winners in the Sweetheart Contest.

Candidates for the award were: Jim Swafford and Dorothy Bohon, winners; Dale Maggard and Myrna Miller; Lorne Sutherlin and Nancy Fricke; Linda Monberg and Bob McDonald; Mary Jones and Jack Benner. Winners were picked by ballots at the cost of five cents a vote. Another feature of the evening was the talent contest featuring acts, with Smith-Cotton students furnishing the talent. There was an admission charge at the door. All proceeds from this event go to the National Honor Society.

The music department of Smith-Cotton High School participated in an assembly Wednesday. In the spotlight for this program was the school orchestra under the direction of Mrs. Carl Schrader. Junior high members were also entertained by the junior boy's quartet consisting of Harry Satterwhite, John Walch, Bob Kreager and Don Eddy, along with a solo by Dale Miller and a musical reading by Beatrice Heggard.

The junior and senior high councils took on as a main order of business this week a discussion of their part in the coming variety show. The ticket-selling program was explained by Mrs. George Chamberlin, Variety show chairman, who announced that the class selling the most tickets would receive a cash award of \$10, and industrial individuals selling ten tickets or more would each receive a free ticket to the show. The theme of the variety show this year is Disneyland and will be held in the Smith-Cotton auditorium on March 1-2. Mrs. Chamberlin will

be assisted by Mr. Emerson, of the industrial arts department, and Mrs. Gwendolyn Tuck, of the art department. Mrs. Carl Schrader, of the music department, Miss Lois Gordon and student committees. Proceeds will go to the PTA.

The Hazel Gray chapter of the Future Teachers of America had their regular meeting Wednesday afternoon. The group heard James O. Miller, guidance director at Smith-Cotton, discuss teachers' scholarships and other pointers in helping future teachers' complete their education. They also saw two films that gave a better picture of the teaching profession. This was followed by a business meeting, after which the group adjourned.

The sponsor of this group is Mrs. P. A. Sillers, high school librarian.

World Day of Prayer was observed at Smith-Cotton High School by the home room teachers, giving the students printed material concerning this day, as well as the importance of prayer. Opportunity was also given for those students who so desired to give a financial contribution for the expense involved in making this day possible.

The students are looking forward to the faculty versus the all-stars basketball game which will take place soon. This week School Principal Forrest Drake announced the big event would not be long in coming. This event, which is being resumed this year after a lapse of several years, has promise of being the real big battle of the year. The all-stars are members of the boys' physical education classes.

This past week the guidance office has received more announcements concerning scholarship programs. It is interesting to note that more and more industries are trying to find ways and means to help these students get their entire schooling.

Farm Bureau Club Has Annual Pancake Supper

The Manila Farm Bureau Club met Wednesday evening at the club center for a pancake and sausage supper which has become an annual event of the club. The men of the club were hosts with Leon Morgan as chief chef. This year the supper was sponsored by the Pettis County Farm Bureau Service Company.

After the supper, the meeting was called to order by the president, Paul Rothenberger, who introduced Jerry Conaway, president of the Pettis County Farm Bureau, to the Town of LaMonte, Missouri.

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E. D. Guthrie and wife to Ira J. Williams Jr. and Ella Ruth Williams warranty deed to property on the west side of 18th Street and of Sneed Avenue between 18th and 20th Streets, \$1 and other consideration.

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The meeting was turned over to Bill McCune, manager of the Pettis County Farm Bureau Warehouse, a club member and a past president of the club, was guest speaker. He explained thoroughly the aims, benefits, and supplies of the Farm Bureau Service. Les Herbert, director of information and education of the company, assisted Mr. McCune.

Elmer Gerken and family were introduced. Gerken is a salesman at the warehouse.

There were 25 members, eight children and five visitors at the supper and program.

Pleasant Green Club Has February Meeting

The Pleasant Green 4-H Club met Feb. 16 with Mary Ross. Mrs. Horne, community leader, read letters from the county office concerning all coming events in which the club members will take part in because of the club projects.

Several reports of training meetings attended by officers of the club were given. Each member answered roll with a good habit for the care of the teeth.

A demonstration was given by Mary Ross on "How to Measure Wet and Dry Ingredients." The members suggested ways to entertain the sponsoring extension club. There were ten members and 13 visitors at the meeting.

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OBITUARIES

Mrs. Martha Hansberger Spencer
Mrs. Martha Hansberger Spencer former resident, died at the home of her son, James Spencer, Jr., in Ferguson at 10:30 Wednesday morning. Mrs. Spencer was ill just a few hours. Her son was with her when she died.

Funeral services will be held at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church in Ferguson at 11 a.m. Friday.

Among the survivors are her son and grandson and two sisters, Mrs. Frank Monroe, Sedalia, and Mrs. Vivian Ogle of Overland Park, Kan.

Robert E. Backus

Robert E. Backus, 75, Kansas City, died Wednesday at the home.

Mr. Backus was born at Sedalia and had been a resident of Kansas City, Kan., 53 years. He was a boilermaker's helper for the Kansas City Terminal Railway 30 years before he retired three years ago.

He was a member of the St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers and the Hill City camp of the Modern Woodmen of America.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Lena Backus of the home; a sister, Mrs. Ada Sudtell, Redondo Beach, Calif., and two brothers, John H. Backus, Kansas City, and Louis C. Backus, Los Angeles.

William Porter Decker

William Porter Decker, 77, Wheatland, Mo., widely known in Pettis, Morgan and Cooper counties, died Wednesday, Feb. 23, at Wheatland. He had been ill for a long period.

For many years he was engaged in the grocery business.

Surviving are: his wife, the former Dacia Caldwell; a son, Ricky Decker, Clinton; a daughter, Mrs. Nadine Henry, Wheatland; several grandchildren; and three brothers and two sisters, Fred, 404 East Sixteenth, Sedalia; Lee, Norborne, Mo., Roy Decker, Syracuse, Mrs. Artie Fry, Fortuna, and Mrs. Lena Pennington, Kansas City. A sister and brother preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Friday at the Sweeney Chapel, Warrensburg, and burial will be in the Sunset Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Bertha Freeland Rites

Funeral services for Mrs. Bertha the Freeland, 67, wife of William Freeland, Smithton, who died Monday morning at Bothwell Hospital, were held at the Sacred Heart Church at 9 a.m. Thursday.

The Rev. Father Steinwachs of the Baineer parish officiated.

Pallbearers were Lionel Clifford, Mike Clifford, Homer Baugh, Don Clifford, Leo Haines and John Sudduth.

Burial was in the Calvary Cemetery.

Friends recited the rosary at the Ewing Funeral Home at 8 p.m. Tuesday.

Albert T. Smith Services

Funeral services for Albert T. Smith, 51, former Sedalian, who died at General Hospital in Kansas City Tuesday, will be held at the Ewing Funeral Home at 10:30 a.m. Saturday.

The Rev. William A. Morgan will officiate.

Burial will be in Bethlehem Cemetery south of Sedalia.

Mr. Smith is survived by three sisters, Mrs. S. M. Todd, 222 East 19th, Mrs. C. L. Wadleigh, Route 1, Sedalia, and Mrs. C. T. Upton, Louisville, Ky., and one brother, Clark Smith, Boise, Idaho.

The body is at the Ewing Funeral Home.

Johnnie Burlingame Services

Graveside services for Johnnie Burlingame, seven-week-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Burlingame, 619 East 26th, were held at Highland Memorial Gardens at 1 p.m. Thursday.

The Rev. F. R. Luckey, pastor of the Full Gospel Tabernacle, officiated.

Burial was in the Highland Memorial Gardens.

The baby died at Mercy Hospital in Kansas City Tuesday.

Besides his parents he is survived by one brother, Jackie Lee Burlingame; two sisters, Mrs. Augusta M. Craig, Warrensburg, and Mrs. Betsy Bass, Raytown; and two grandmothers, Mrs. Minnie Ditzman, 312 East Chestnut, and Mrs. Maud Burlingame, 621 East 26th.

The body was at the Ewing Funeral Home until the hour of the service.

Clyde Heynen Services

Funeral services for Clyde Heynen, 68, 1109 West Seventh, who collapsed at Bothwell Hospital about 7:45 p.m. Tuesday, were held at 3:30 p.m. Thursday at the Broadway Presbyterian Church. The Rev. Warren Neal officiated.

Organ music was played by Mrs. James Atkinson.

The pallbearers were James McNeil, Dr. Lawrence Geiger, Ruben McVey, Pinkney Miller, Bryan Howe and John Baker. Burial was in the Crown Hill Cemetery.

The body was at the McLaughlin Funeral Chapel up to time of the services.

Youth Confesses He Slew 9 Year Old Cub Scout

Evan Hughes
Relatives at Lincoln have received word of the death at Watkins, Mont., of Evan Hughes, 70, who died at the home of his brother, Edwin Hughes, last Friday. He underwent surgery four weeks previous.

Surviving are a sister, Mrs. Davis Peters, Lincoln, and three brothers, Richard Hughes, of that place, Philip, Sioux Falls, S. D., and George Hughes, Oskaaloosa, Ia.

Funeral services and burial were at Watkins.

Mrs. Minnie May McClure Rites

Funeral services for Mrs. Minnie May McClure, 72, 316 West Sixth, who died at Bothwell Hospital Tuesday, were held at 2 p.m. Thursday at the McLaughlin Funeral Chapel, the Rev. Thomas W. Croxton, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating.

Miss Lillian Fox played organ music.

Burial was in the Crown Hill Cemetery.

Russell Evans Mowry Rites

Funeral services for Russell Evans Mowry, 72, Route 2, Green Ridge, who died at 4:45 p.m. Tuesday at the Bothwell Hospital, were held at 2 p.m. Thursday at the Antioch Baptist Church. The Rev. J. R. Summers, Marshall, officiated.

Russell Maag sang "The Old Rugged Cross" and "Asleep In Jesus."

The body was at the Gillespie Funeral Home until noon Thursday. Burial was in the Antioch Cemetery.

Alfred Bruce Phipps

Alfred Bruce Phipps, 47, Kansas City, died Monday at Veterans Hospital in Kansas City. His wife was the former Fletta Davis, Houstonia. Mr. Phipps had been in the grocery business in Kansas City. He sold his store in April because of ill health. He was a member of the American Legion and the St. Agnes Catholic Church. He is survived by his wife, two sons, Thomas and Billy Bob, both of the home, his mother, Mrs. Bruce E. Phipps, two brothers, John of Sun Valley, Calif., and Bruce E. Jr., Kansas City, and two sisters, Mrs. Marie Smith and Mrs. Katherine Cipolla, Kansas City.

Funeral services were held at Muehlebach Chapel at nine Thursday morning and at St. Agnes Catholic Church at 9:30. Burial was in Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

William P. O'Neal Services

Funeral services for William P. O'Neal, 84, lifetime resident of Morgan County, who died at the home of his daughters, Mrs. James Dow and Mrs. Beulah Opie, at Versailles Tuesday, were held at the Hopewell Church east of Versailles at 2 p.m. Thursday. The Rev. J. L. Freeman, pastor of the Versailles Christian Church officiated.

Burial was in the Hopewell Cemetery beside his wife, who predeceased him in death Oct. 22, 1949.

Mrs. Lenora Jane Carter

Mrs. Lenora Jane Carter, mother of Loma E. Carter, Route 3, Sedalia, died at 11:50 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 23, at the Springfield Baptist Hospital, Springfield, Mo.

The body was taken to the Klingerman Funeral Home, Springfield, and funeral plans have been tentatively set for Saturday afternoon at that place.

Arthur Smith Infant

Word was received Thursday of the death of the infant son of Arthur H. Smith S/T U. S. Navy and Mrs. Smith, who died at Hueyene, Calif., that afternoon. The baby was born Tuesday.

Mrs. Smith, formerly Miss Mary Ann Hall, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hall, 1509 East 13th, and her husband is the son of Sgt. Cecil H. Smith and Mrs. Smith, 324 North Summit. Sgt. Smith is a member of the Police Department.

Mrs. Hall left Tuesday for California to be with her daughter upon learning of the birth of the grandson.

Sgt. Smith and Mrs. Smith, accompanied by Mr. Hall left Thursday night for California.

S/T Smith and Mrs. Smith have one other child, a daughter, Patty Ann, one-year old.

Platte County Court

Now Can Continue

Bridge Building Plan

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 23—**P**—With a little footwork today by Gov. Phil M. Donnelly and the surviving members of the Platte County court, the court now is in position to continue a bridge building program.

The court has been engaged in a bridge bond program for construction of a twin to the Fairfax Bridge across the Missouri River.

But the presiding judge, William Anderson, died.

Under the law, the governor could appoint a new presiding judge. That would put an inexperienced man in the key position on the bridge program, however.

So Holt Coffey of Platte City resigned as judge from the Eastern District then the governor appointed him presiding judge. To fill the Eastern District vacancy, Donnelly chose Homer F. Nash of Platte City, a restaurant and motel operator.

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They fought with nonstrikers, one of whom was knocked unconscious. Two other persons were bruised.

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